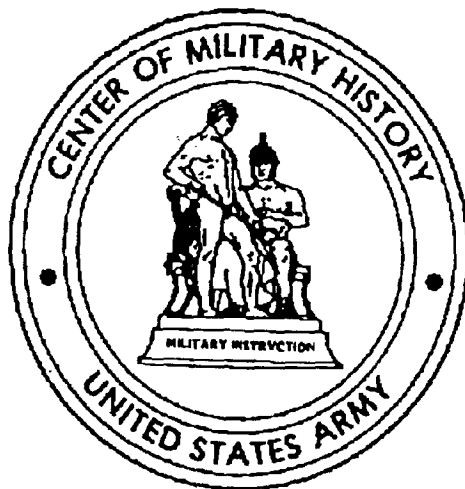


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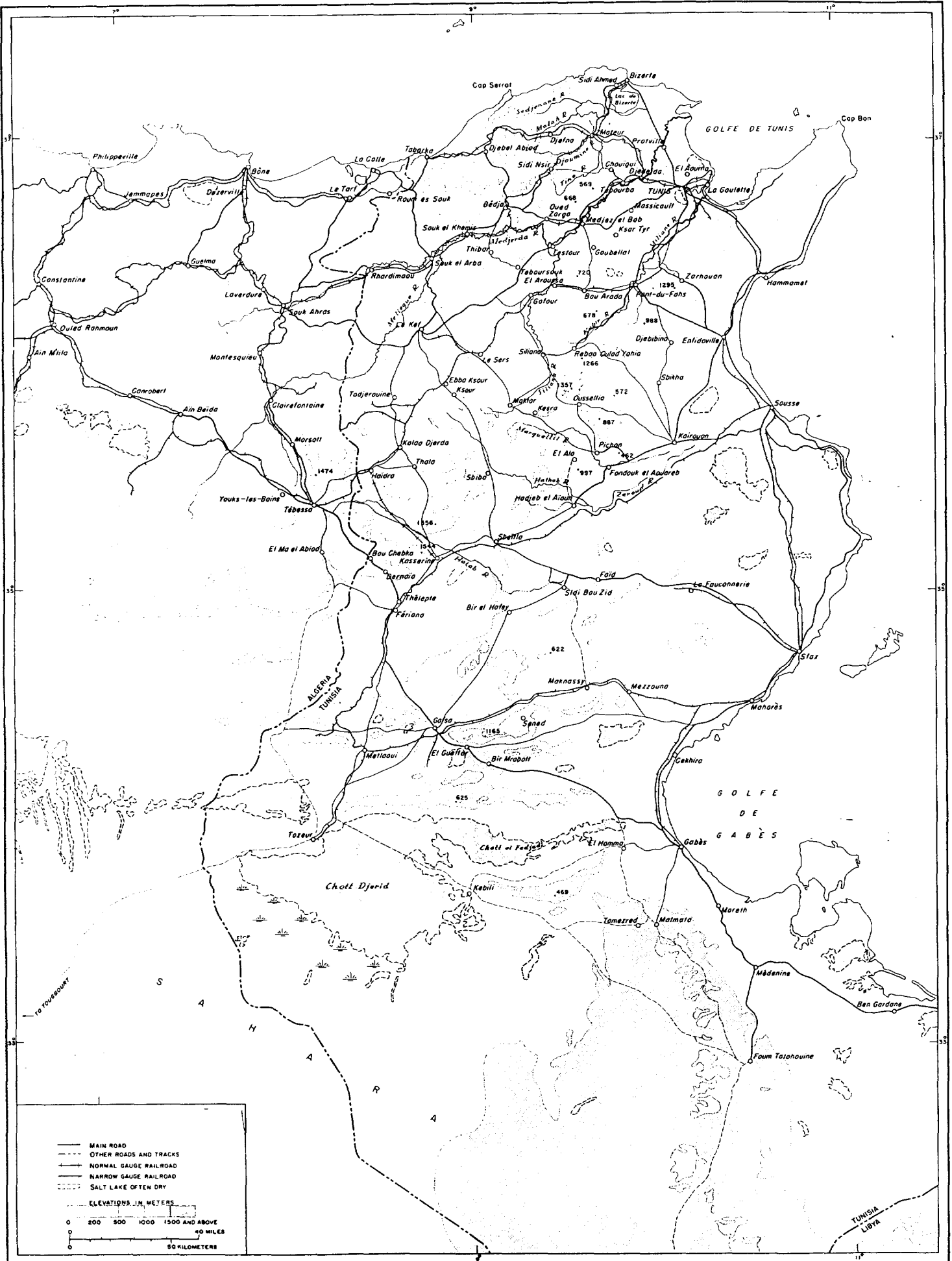


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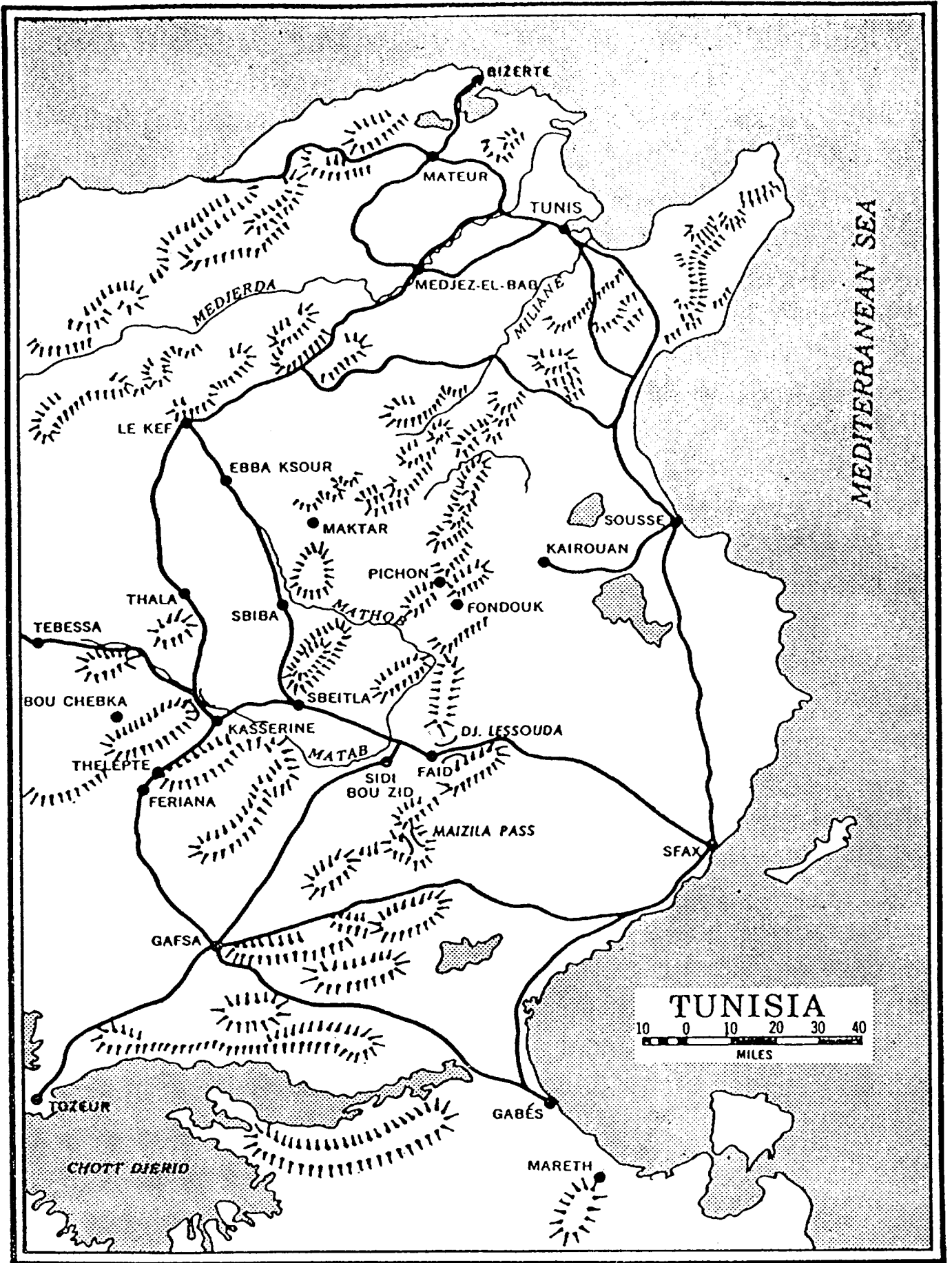
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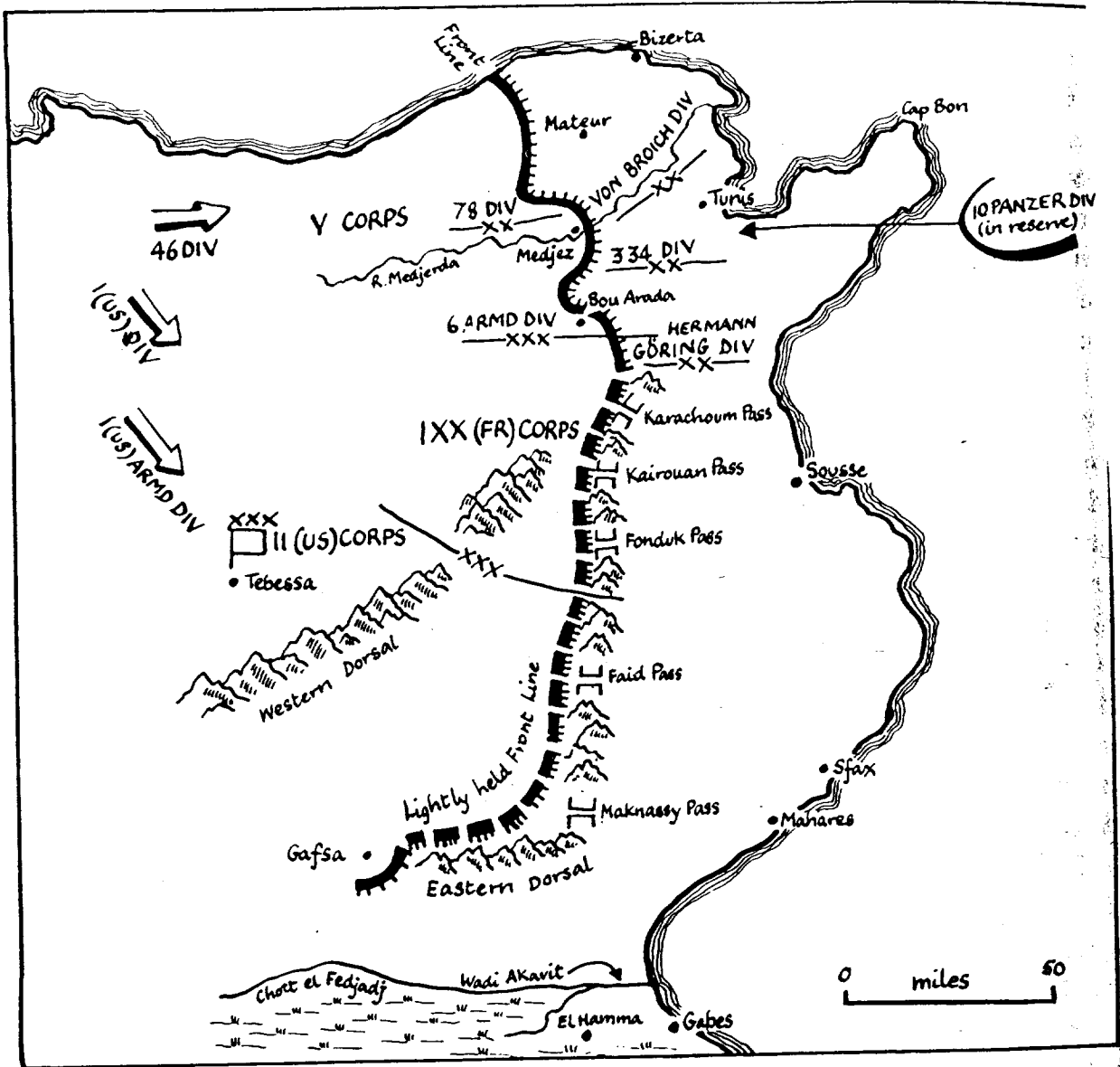
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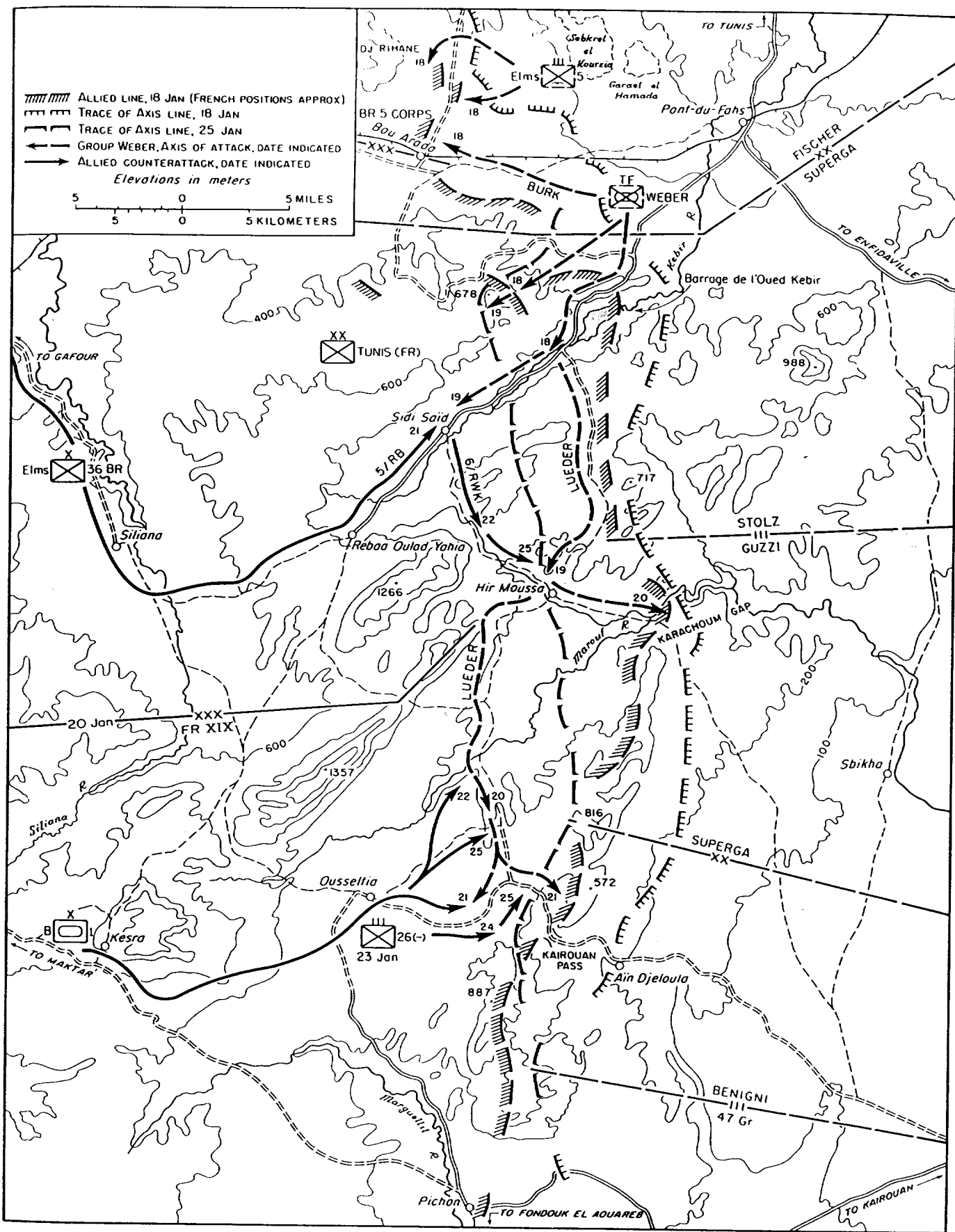
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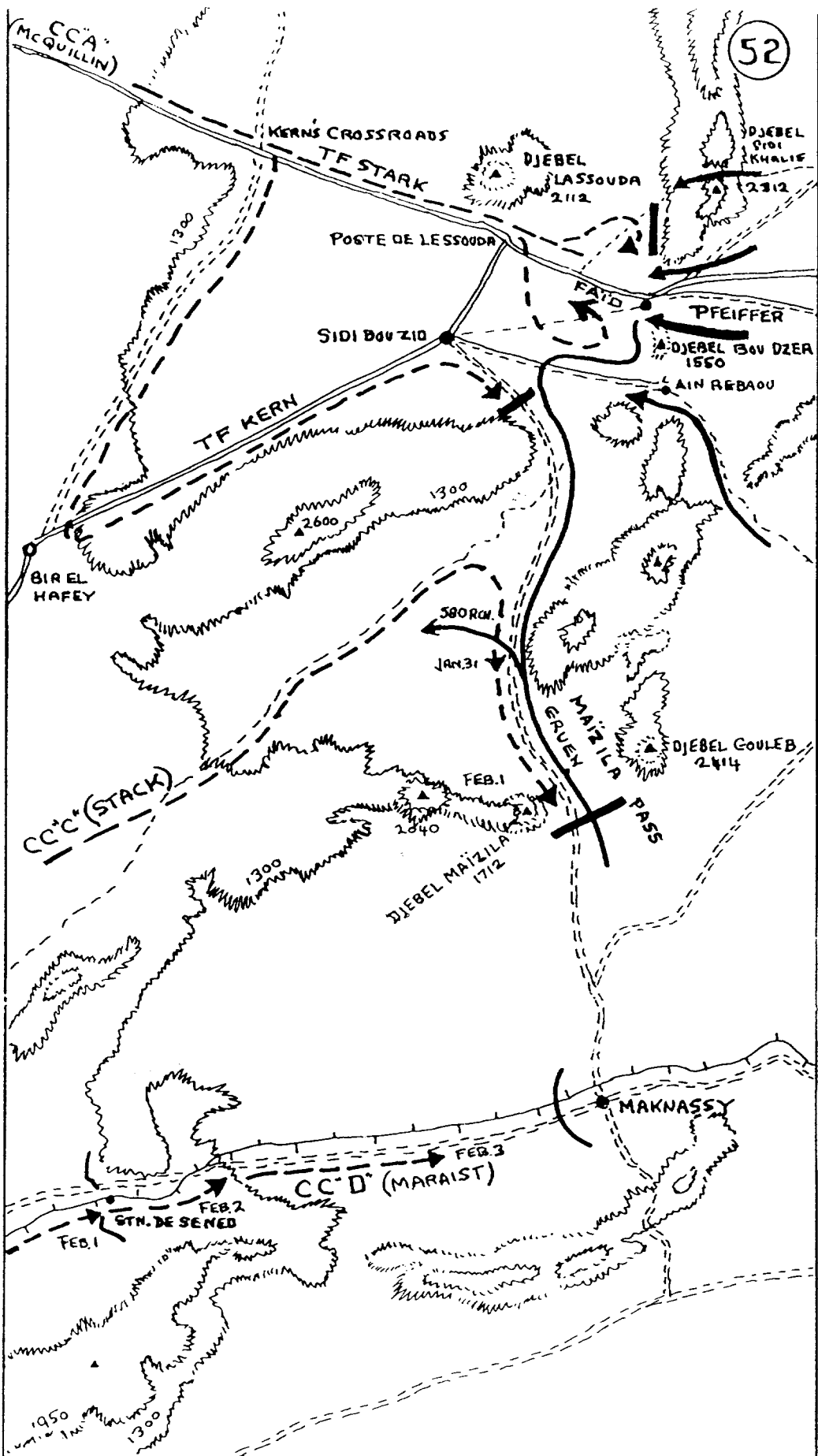


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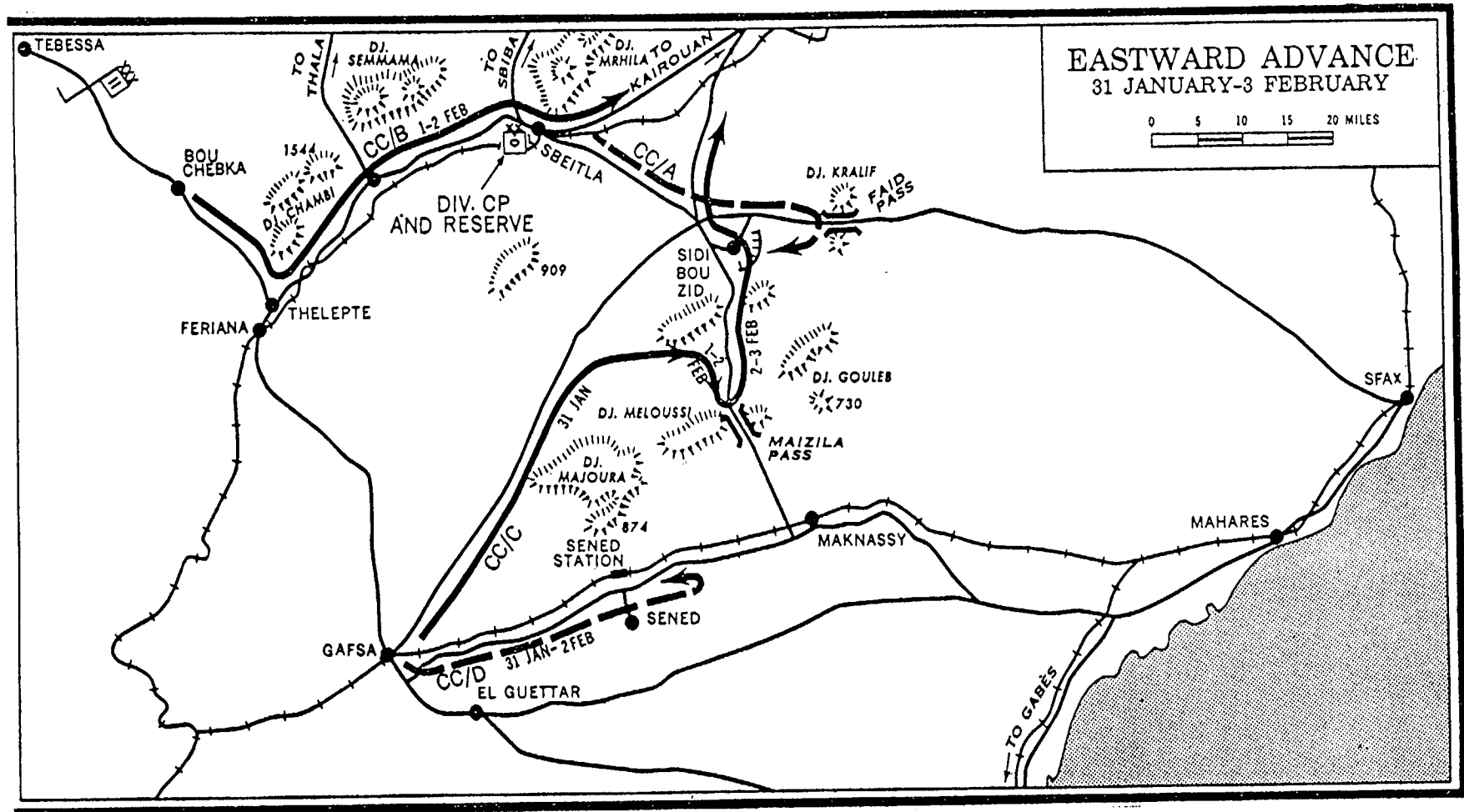
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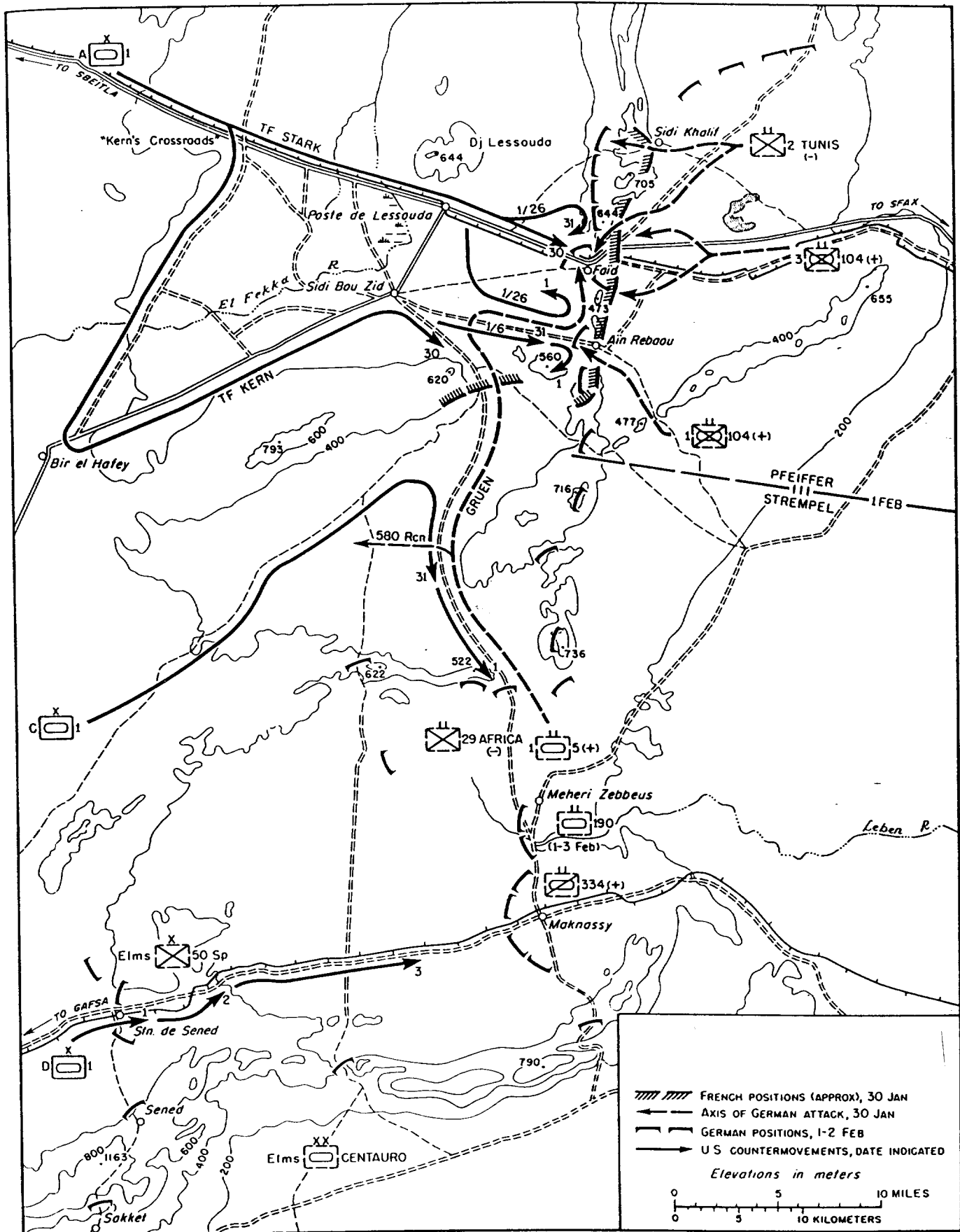


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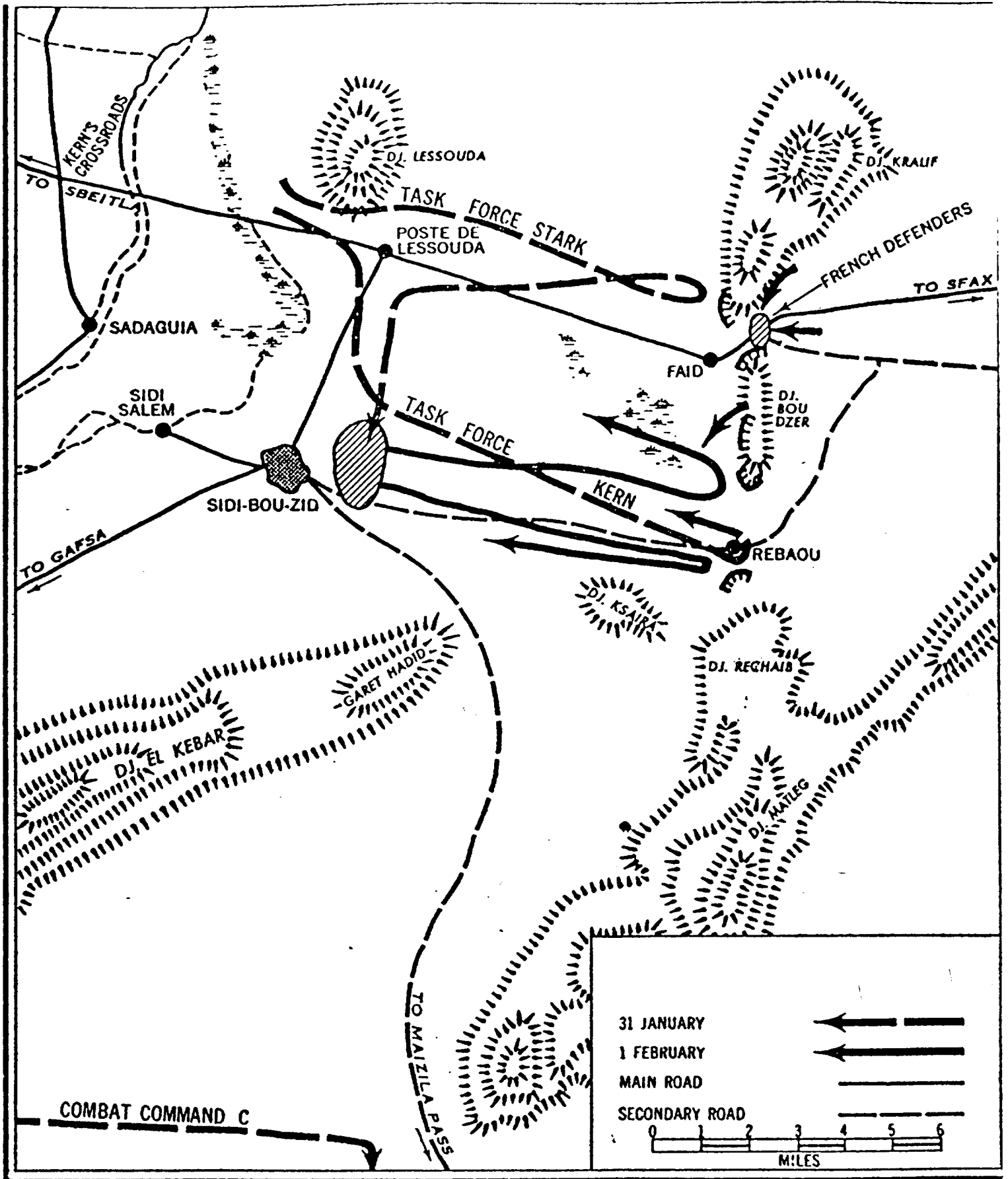


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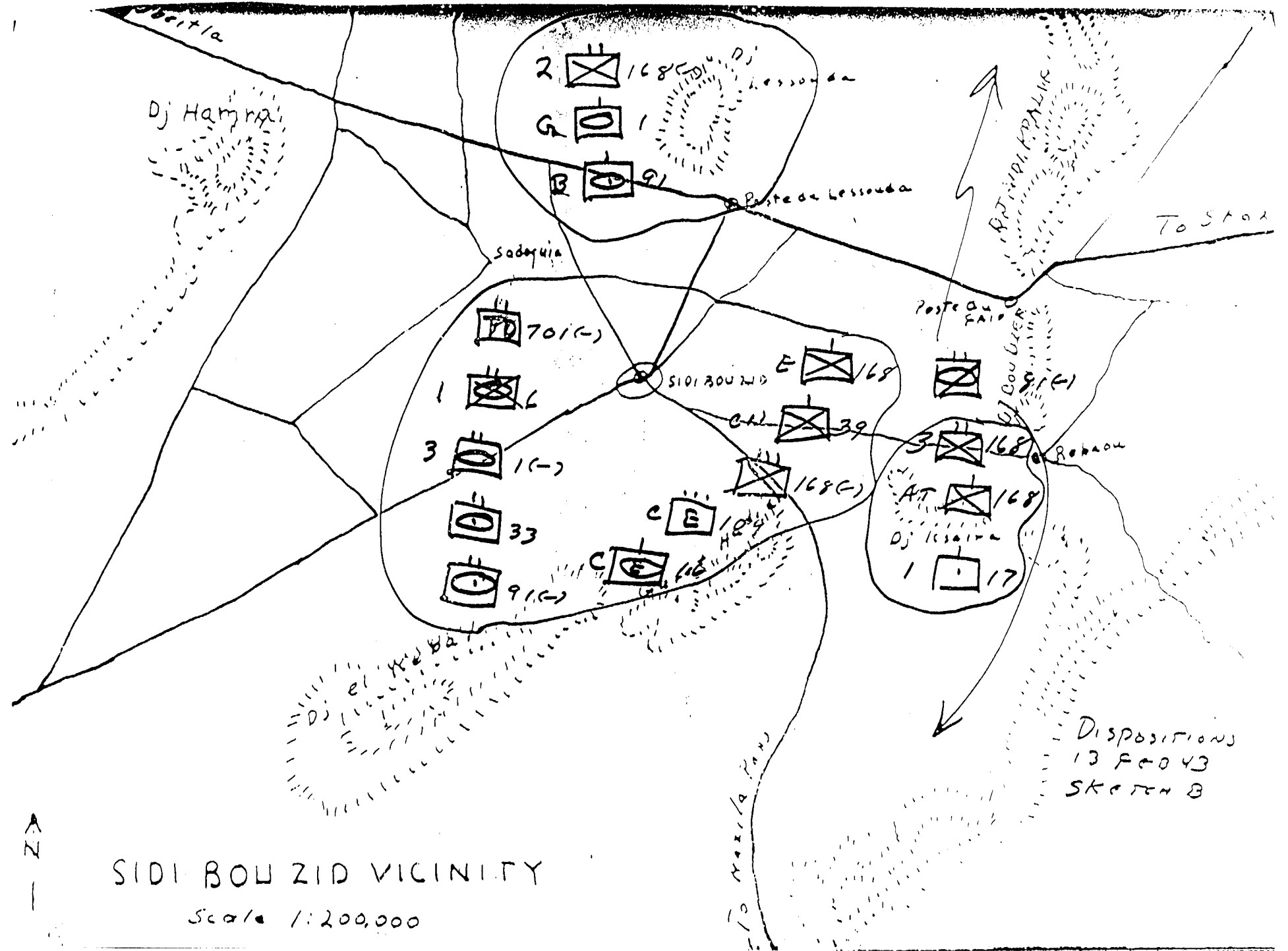


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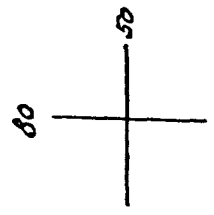
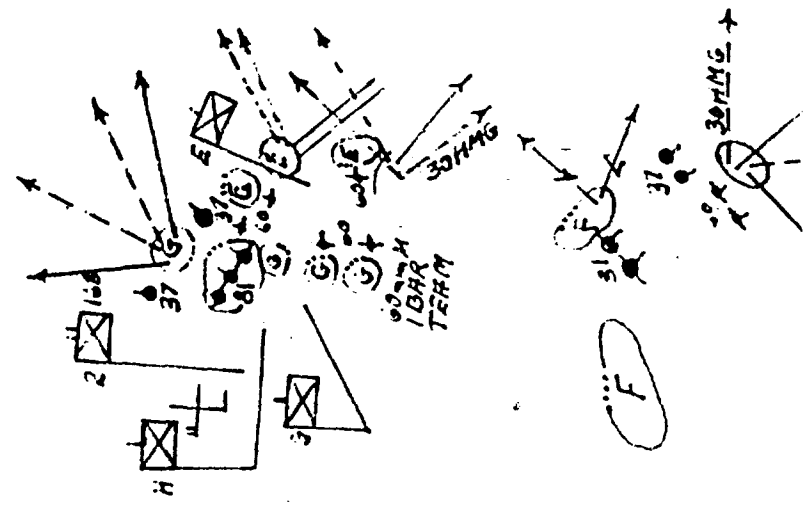
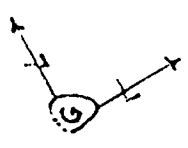
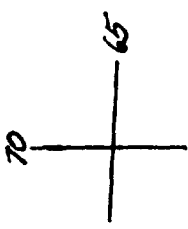
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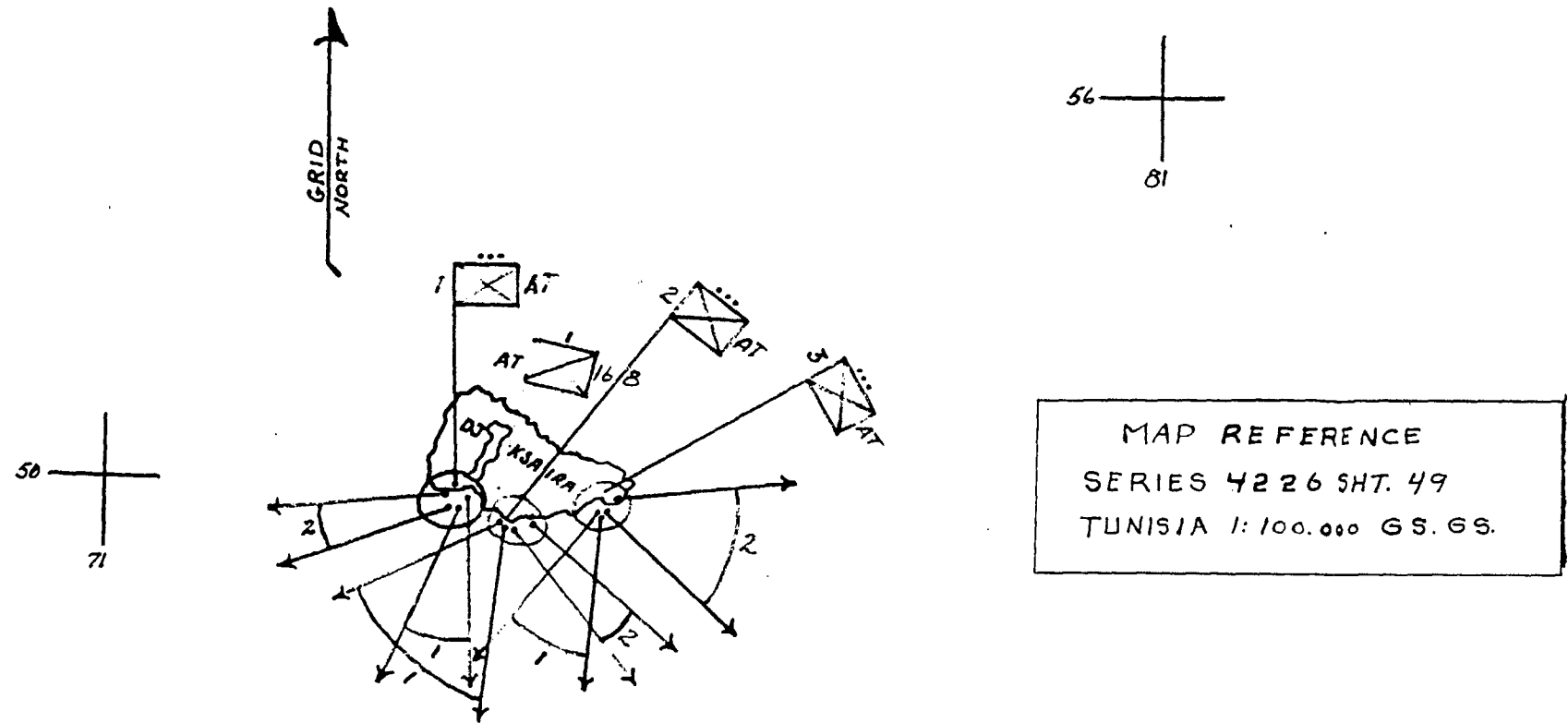


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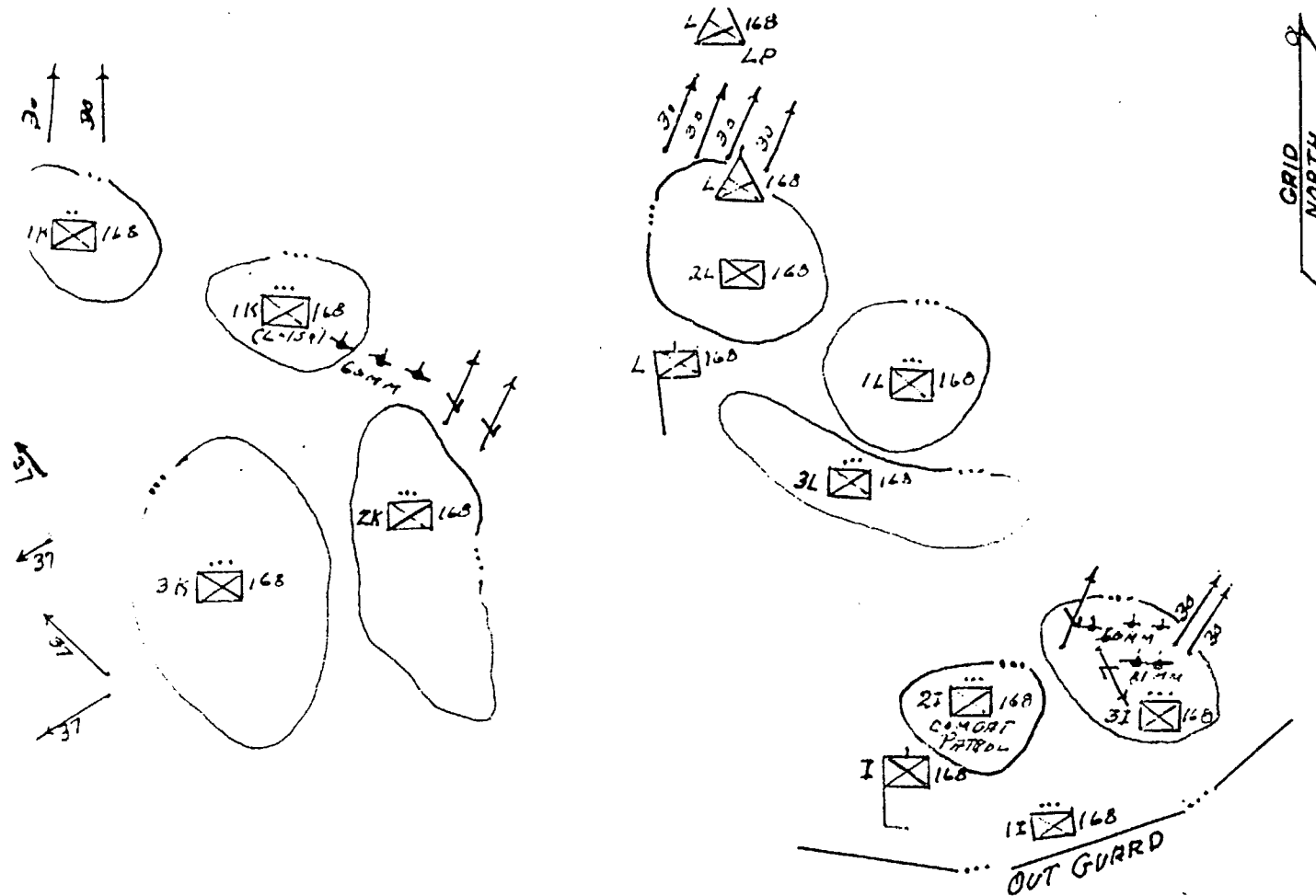


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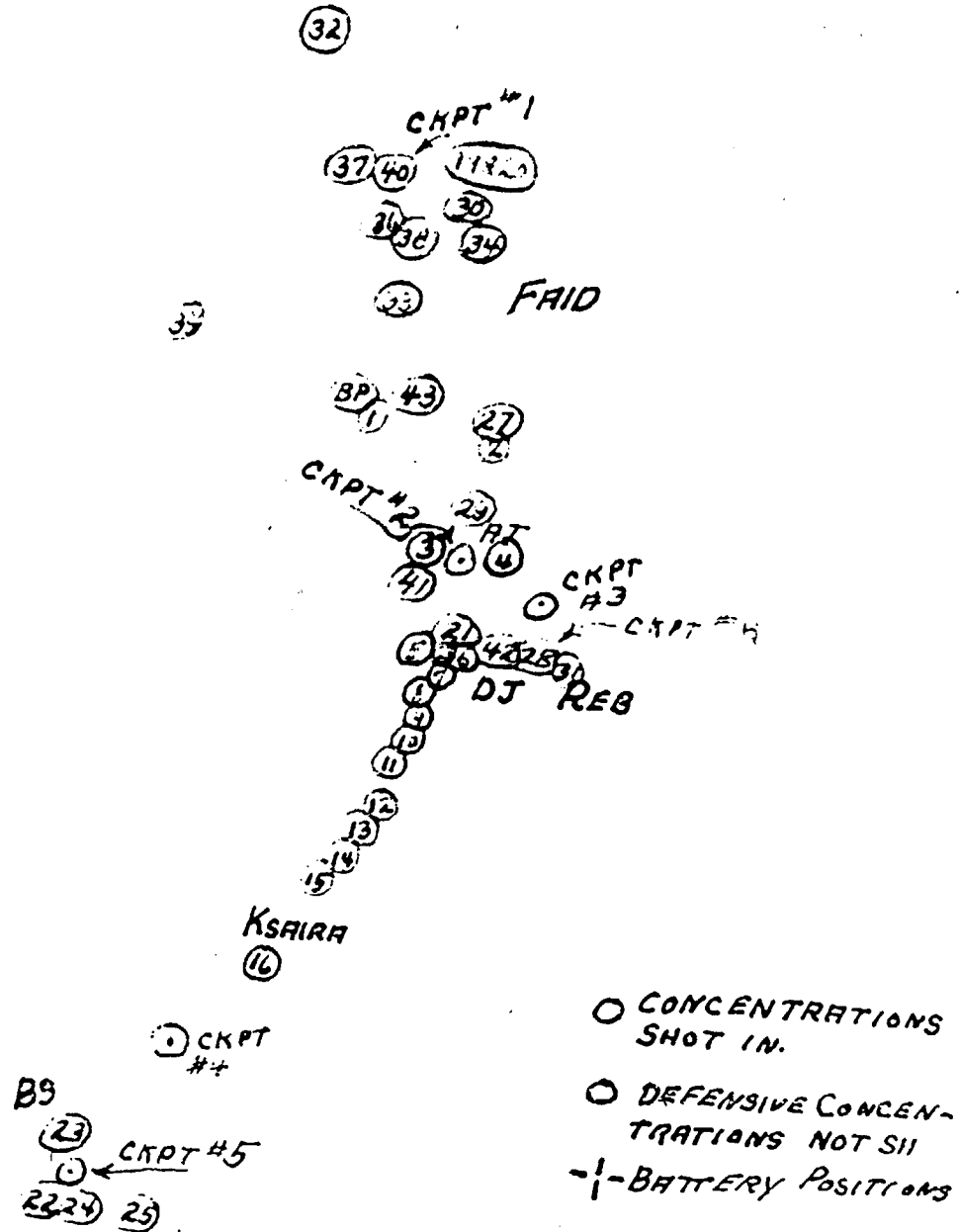
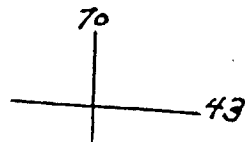
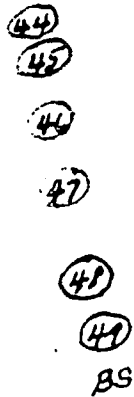
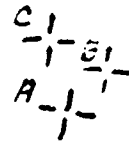
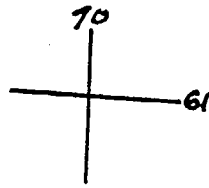


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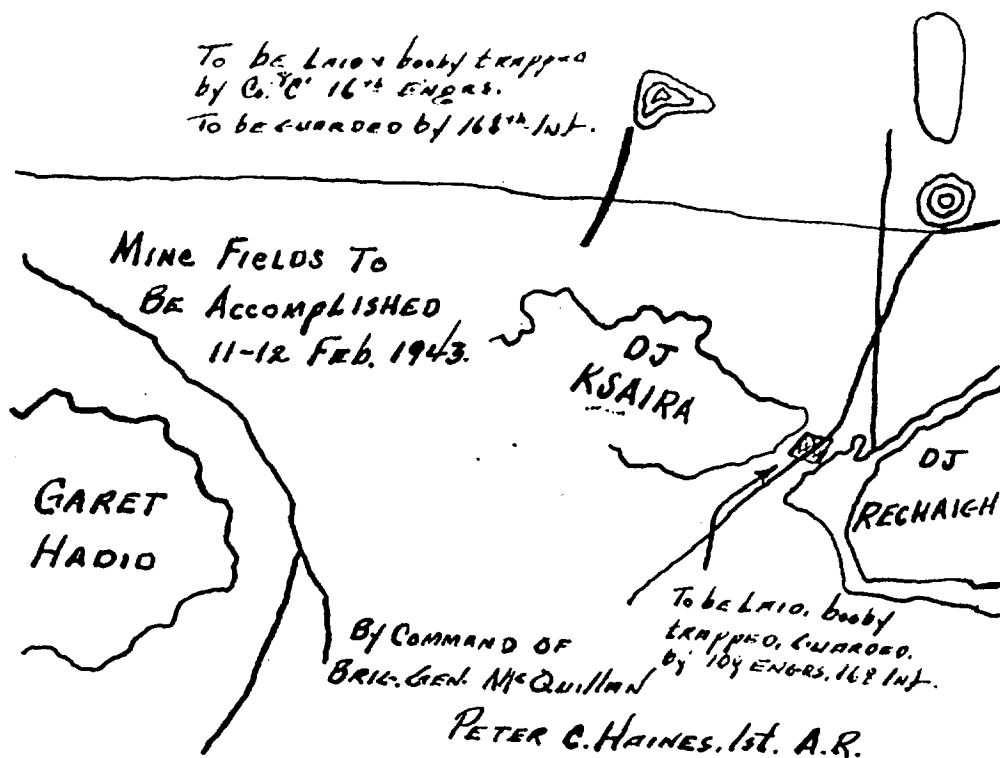


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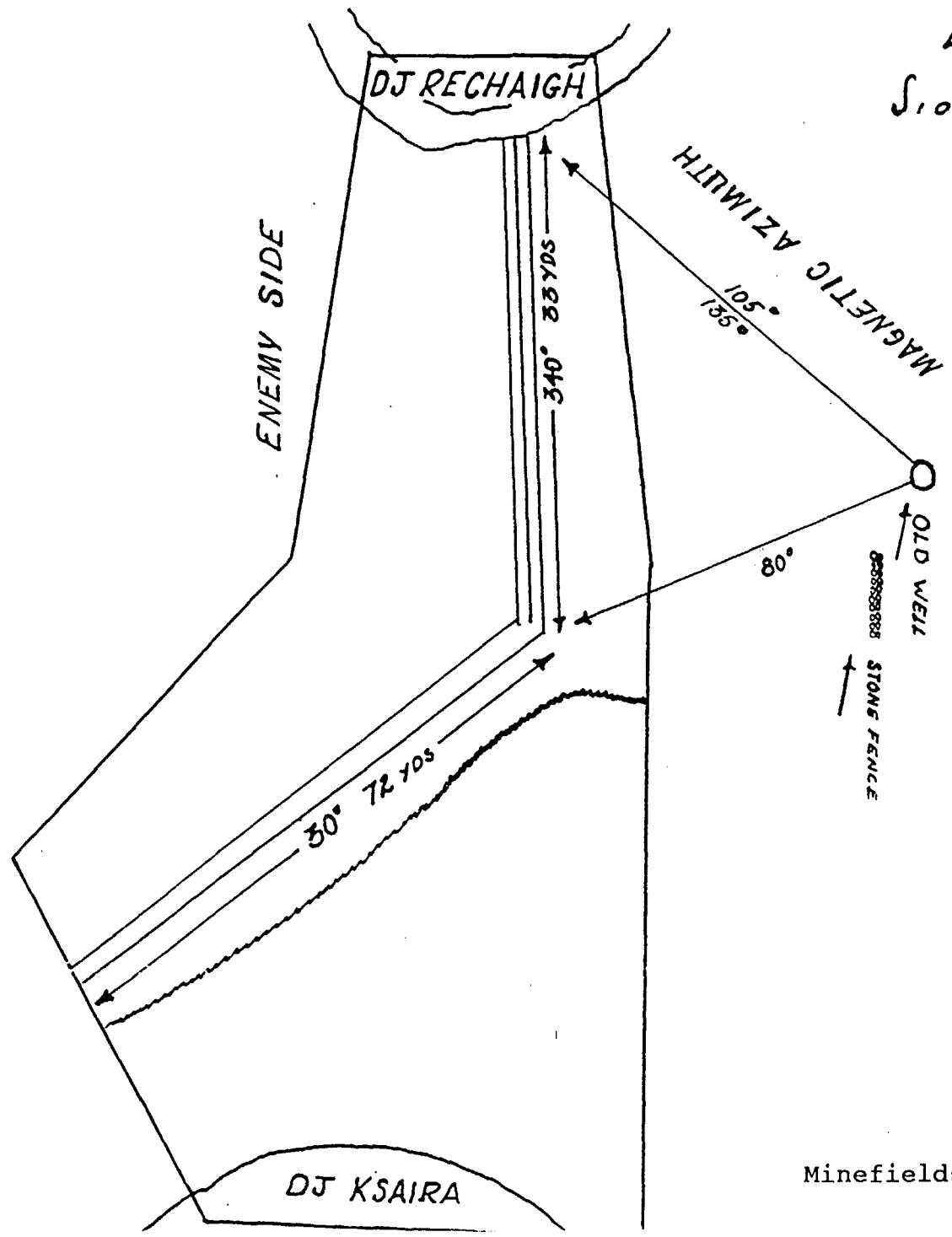
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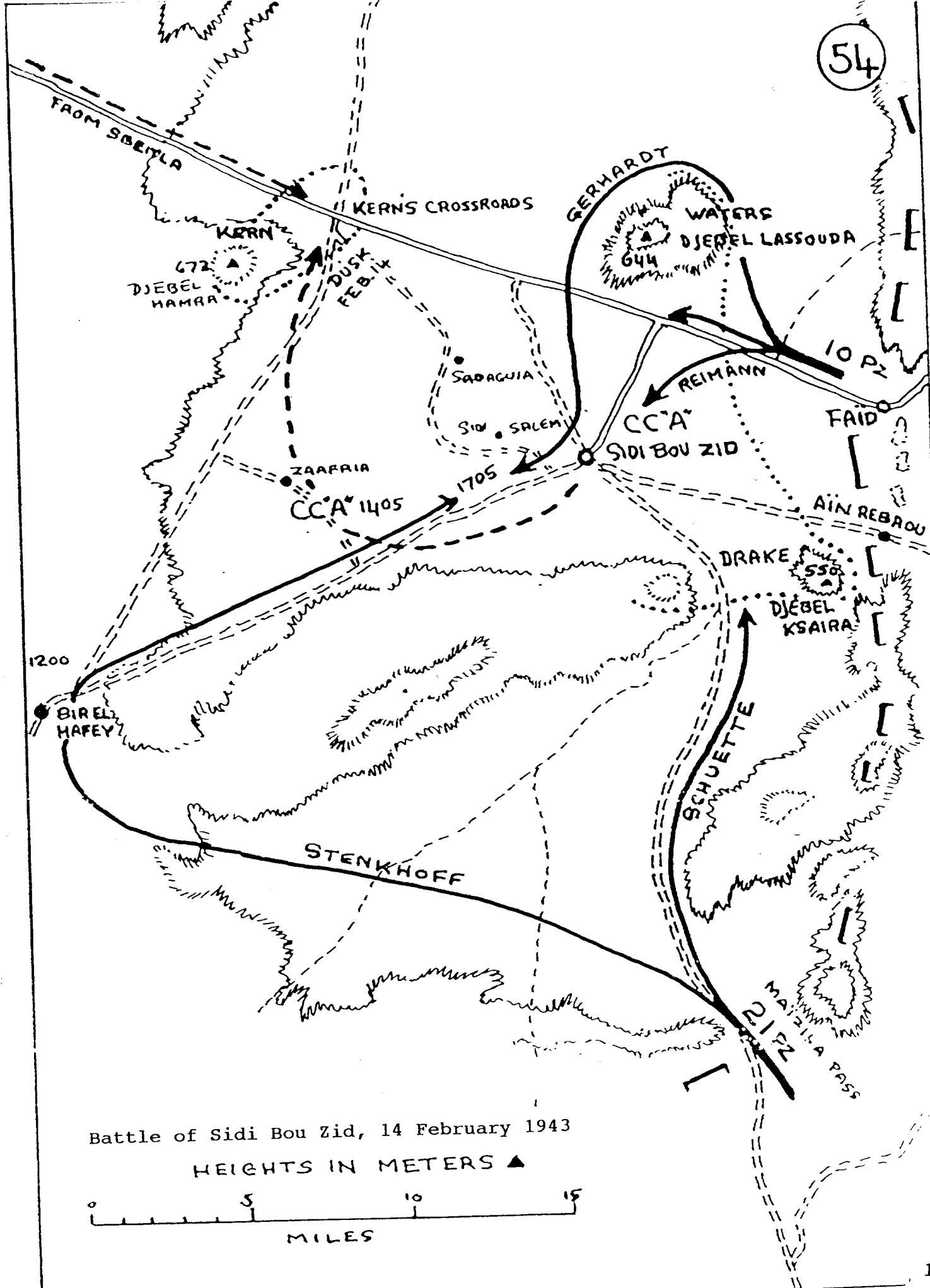
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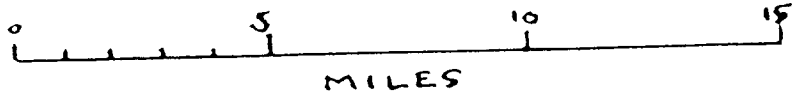
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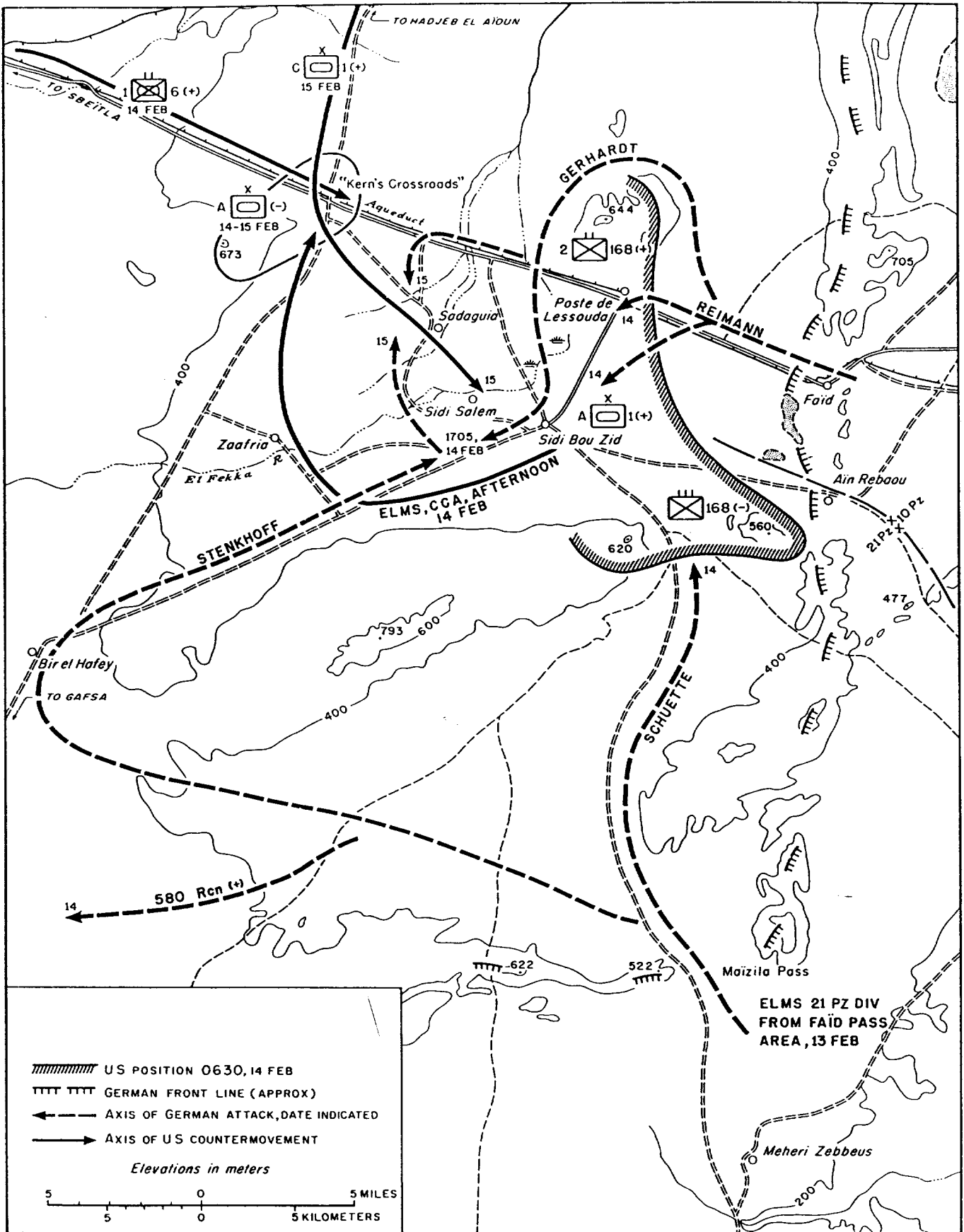
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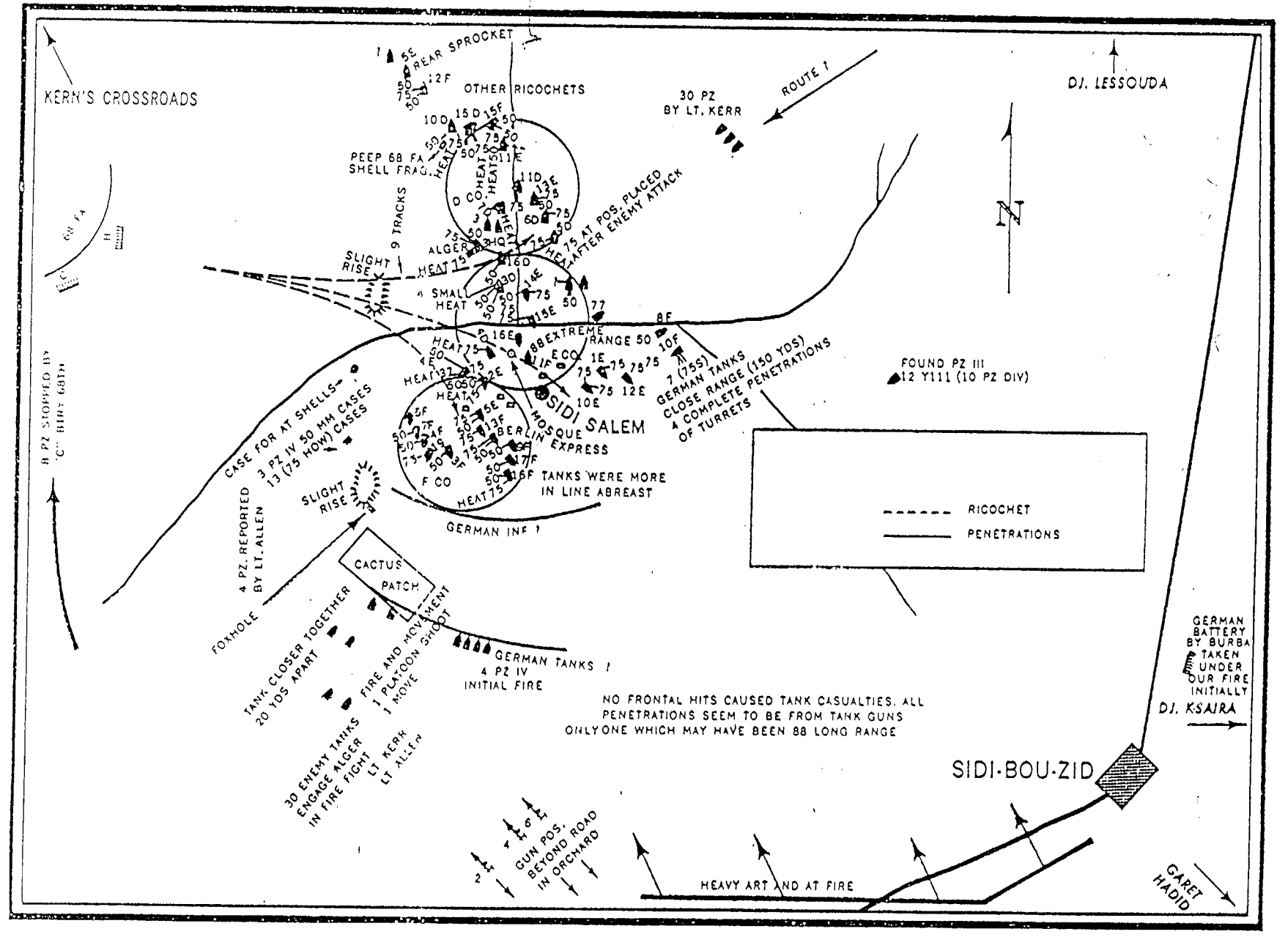
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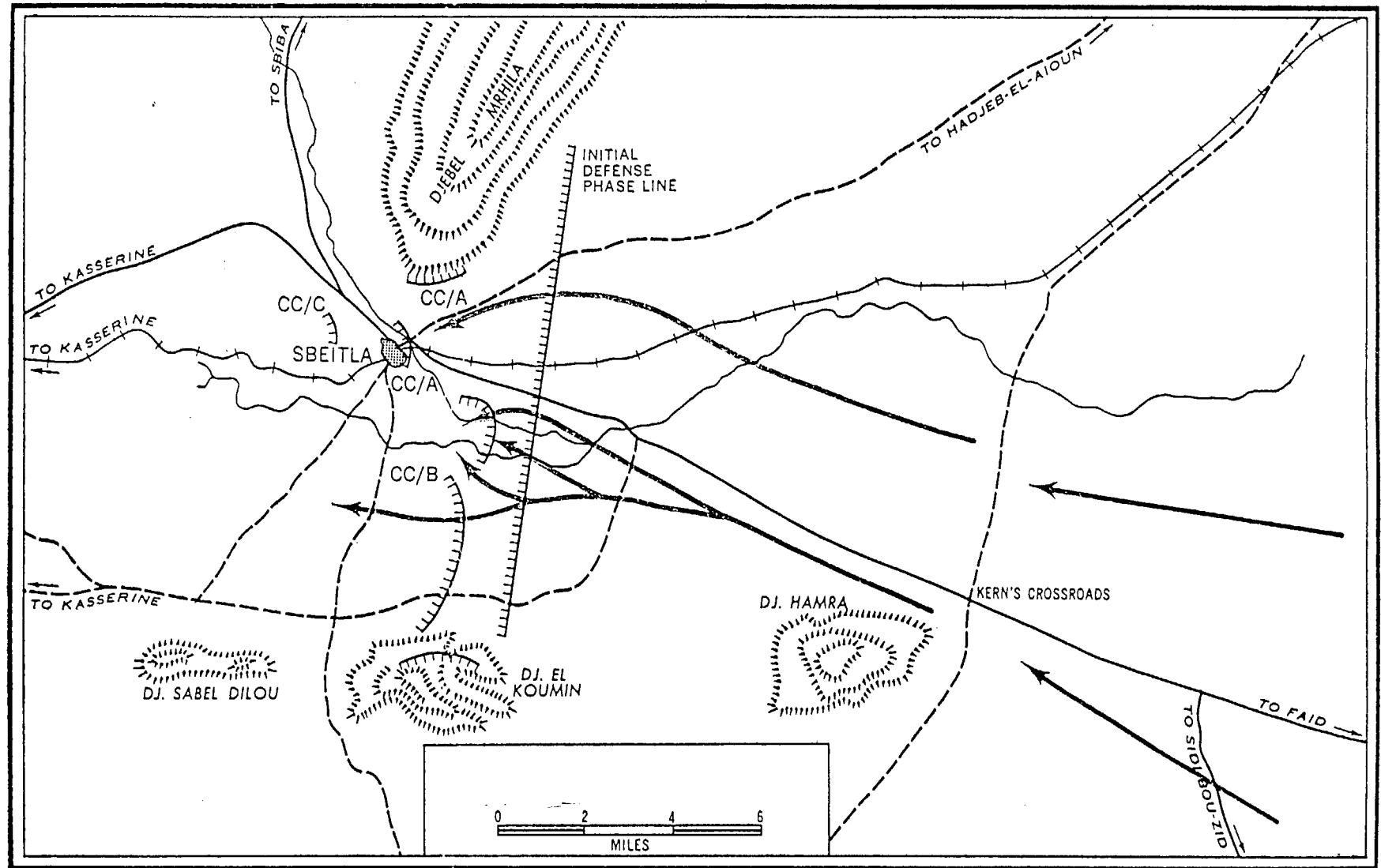




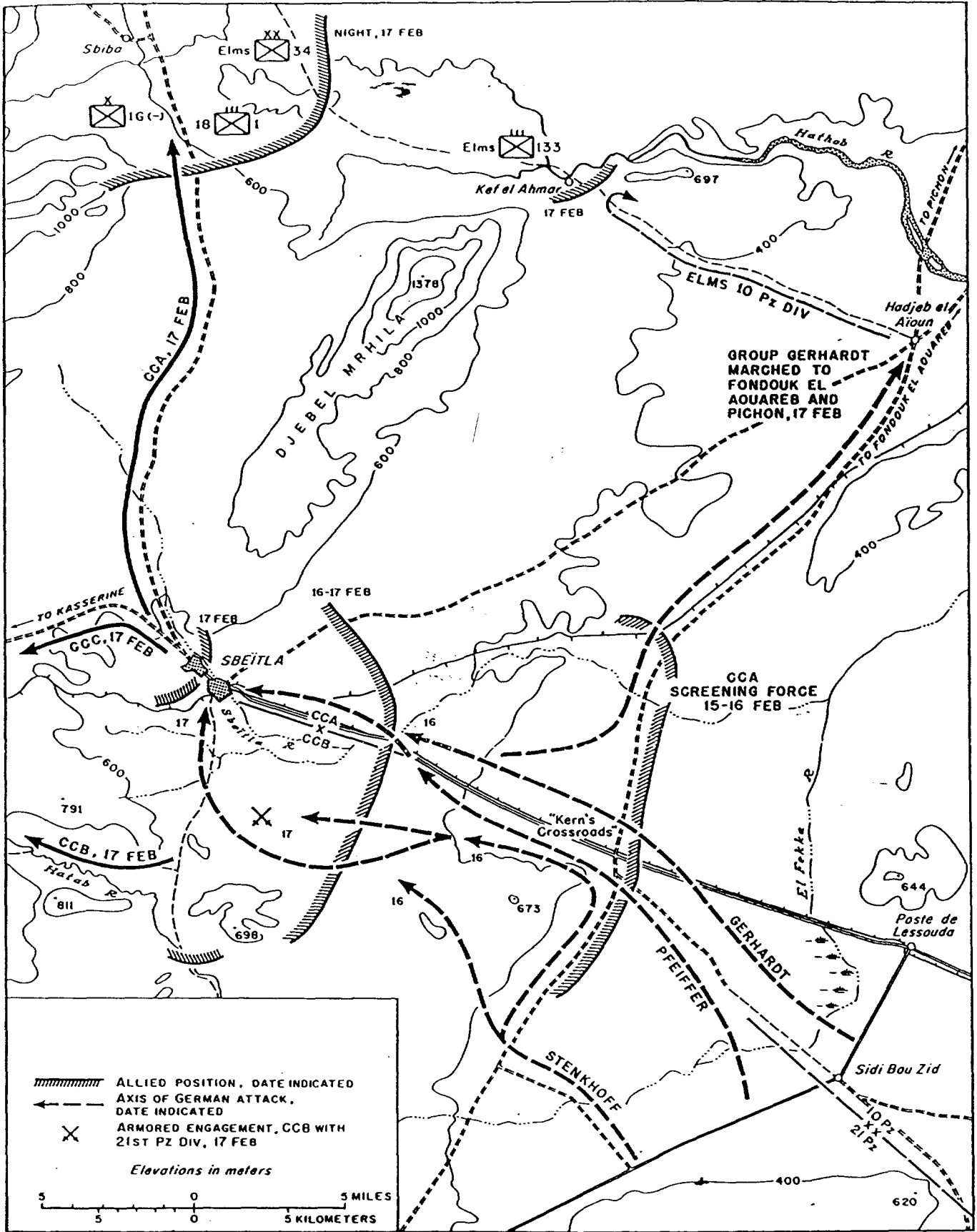
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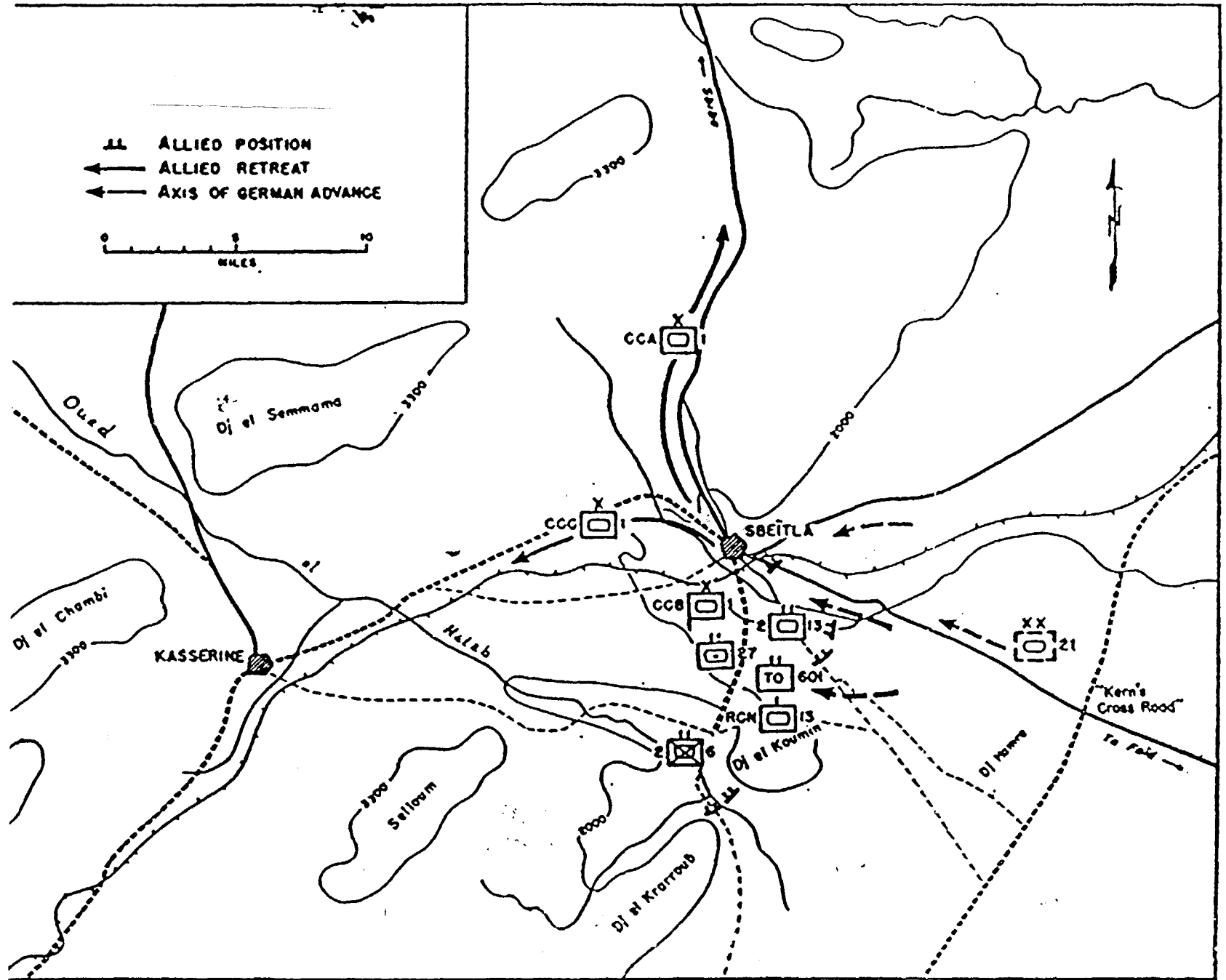




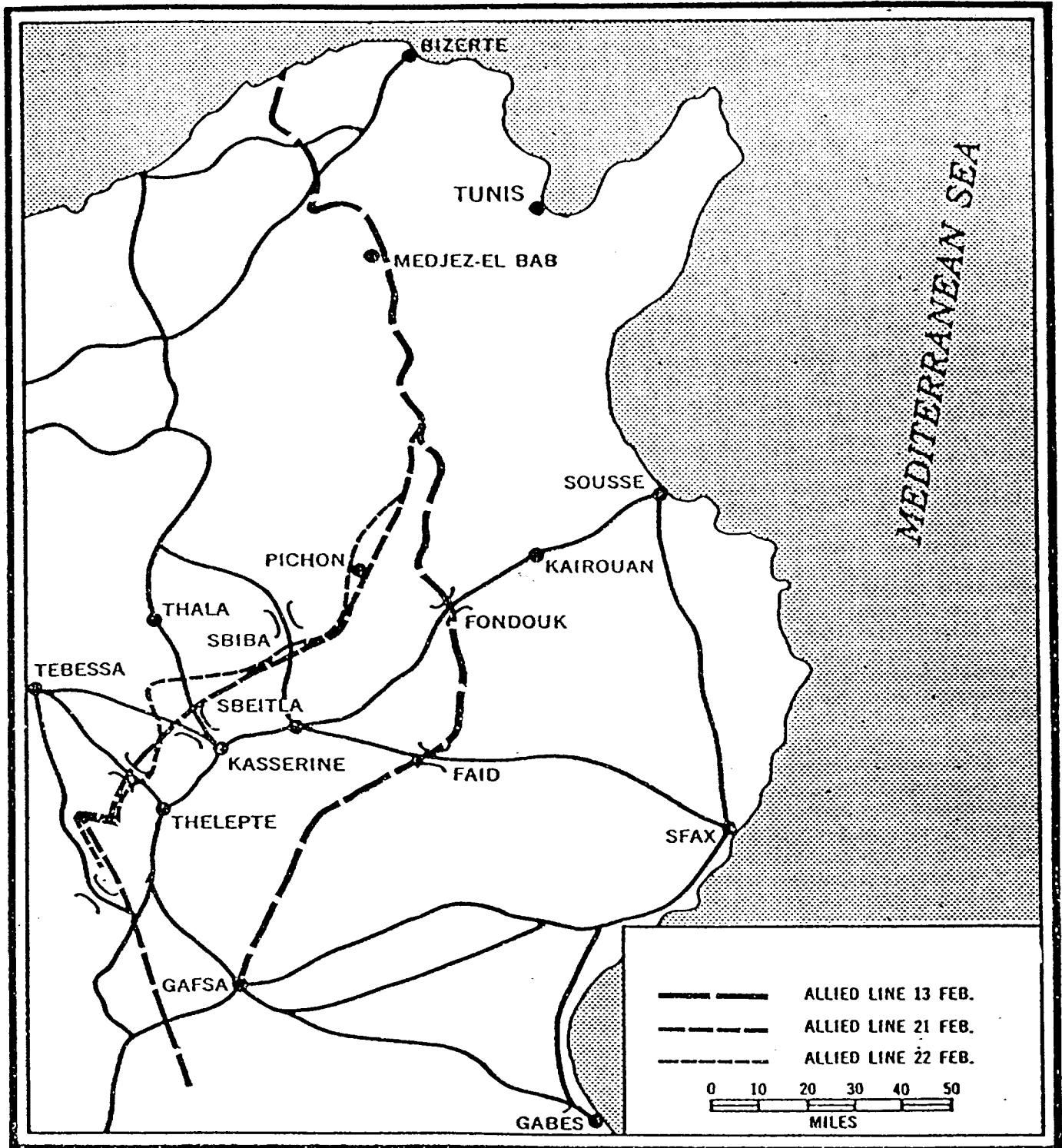
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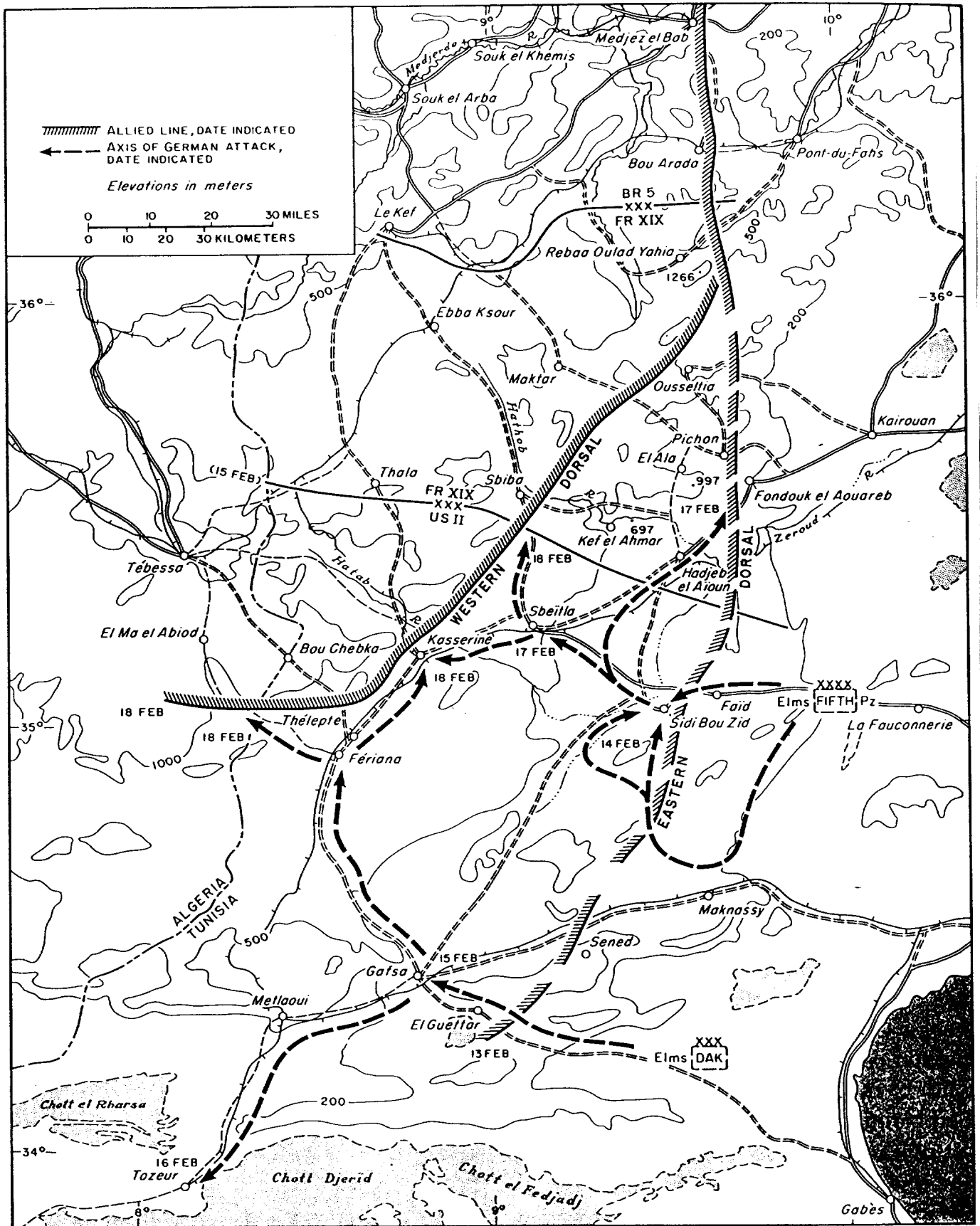
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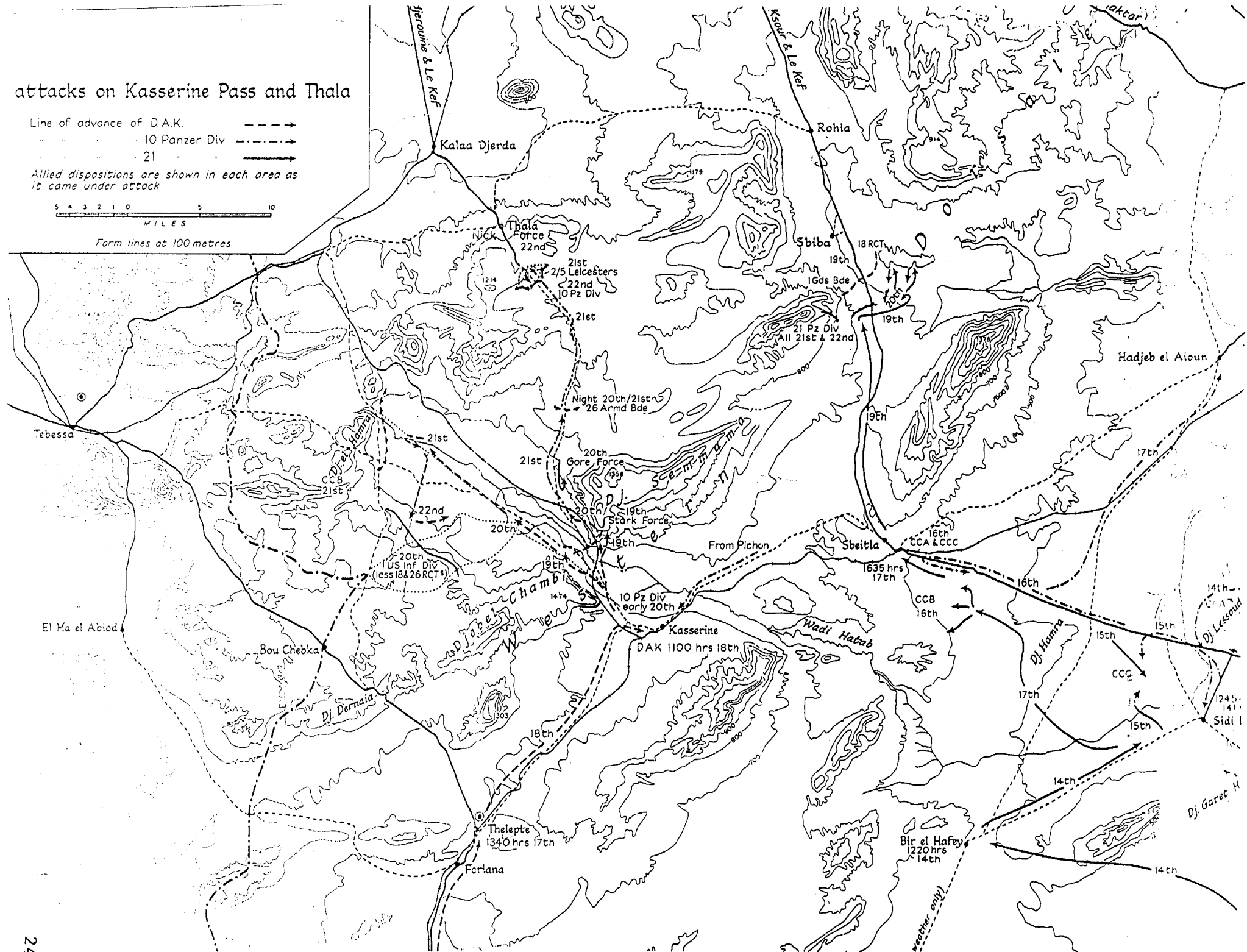
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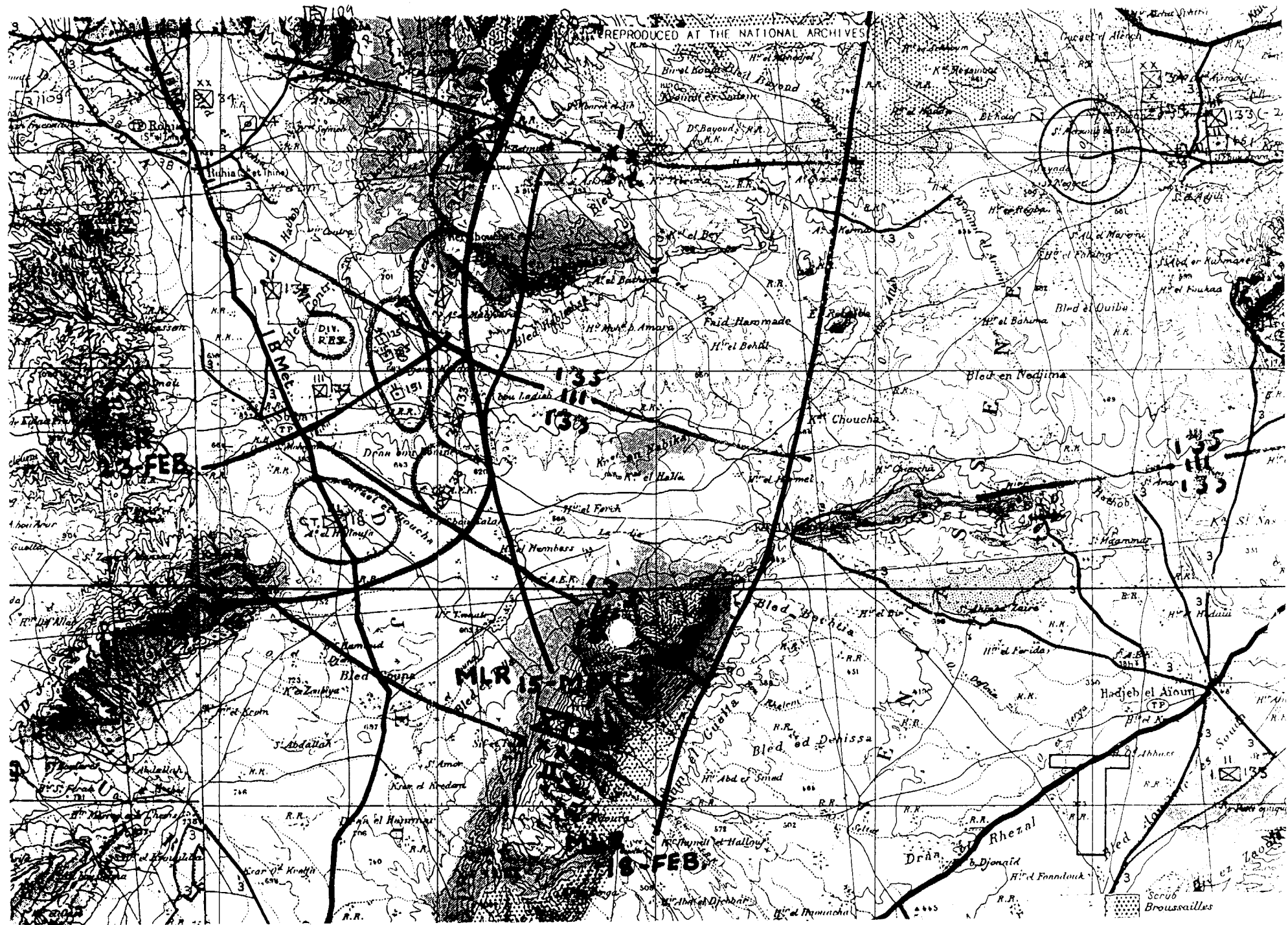
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Overall Situation, Kasserine and Thala, 14-22 February 1943



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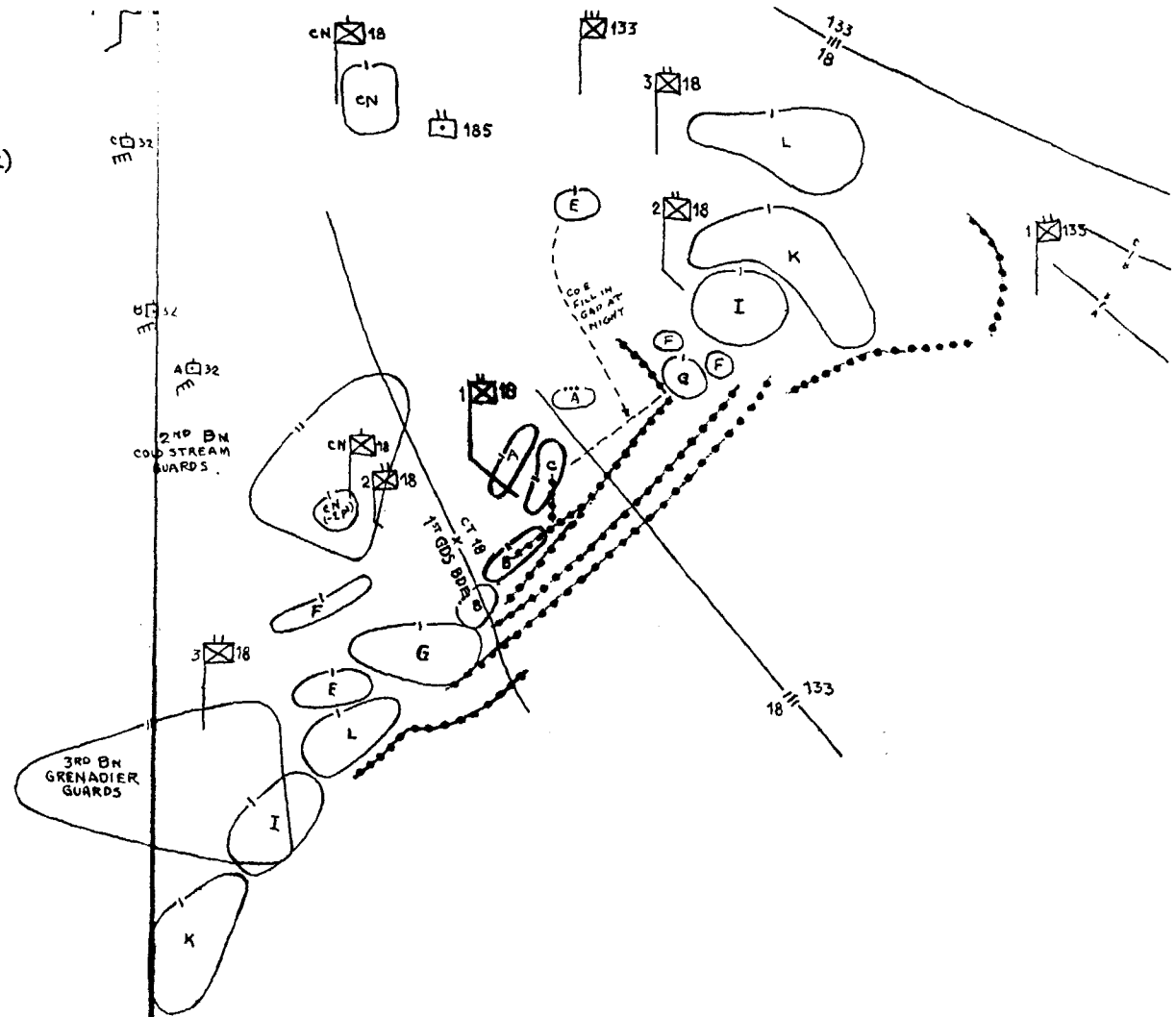
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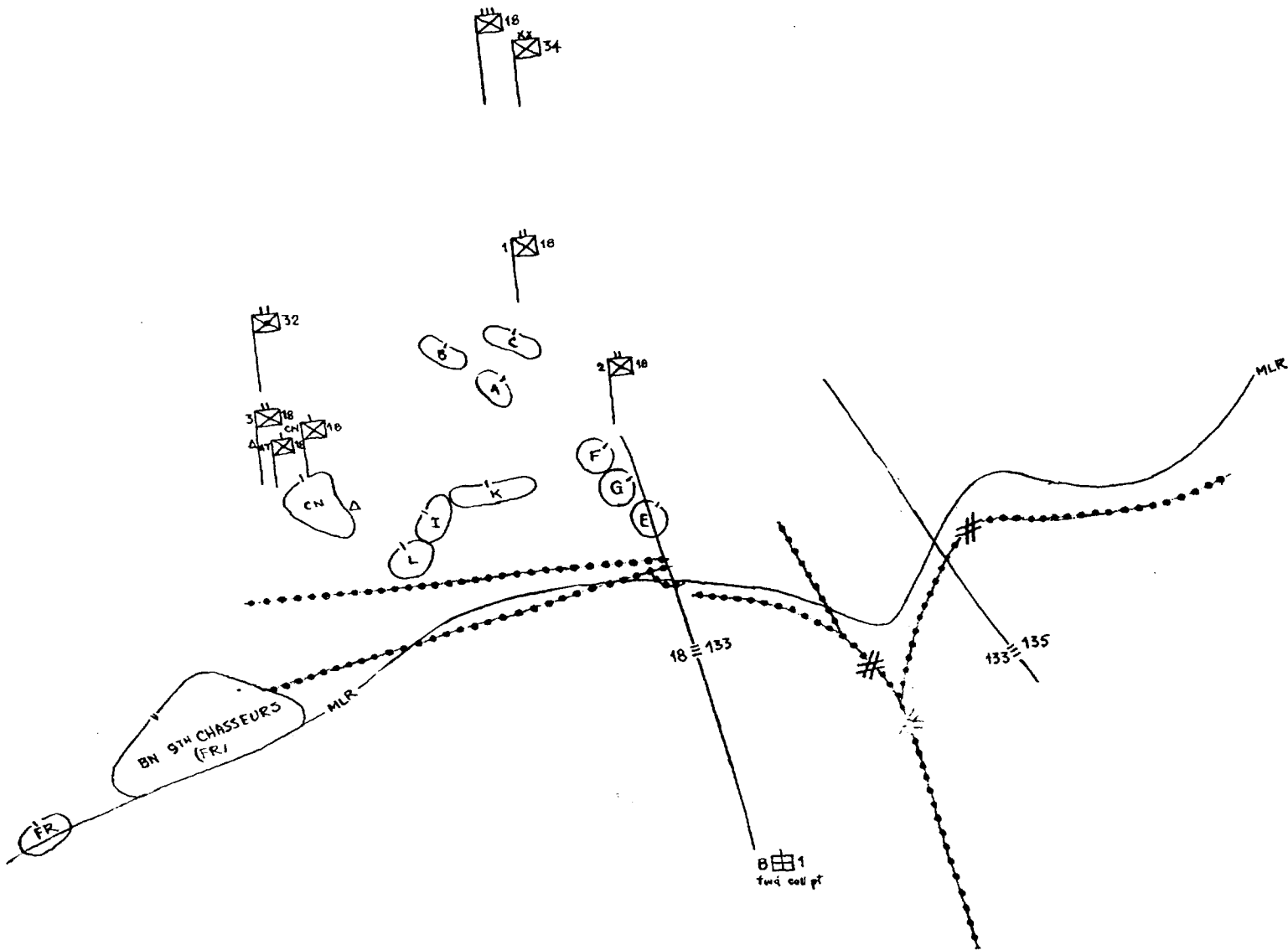
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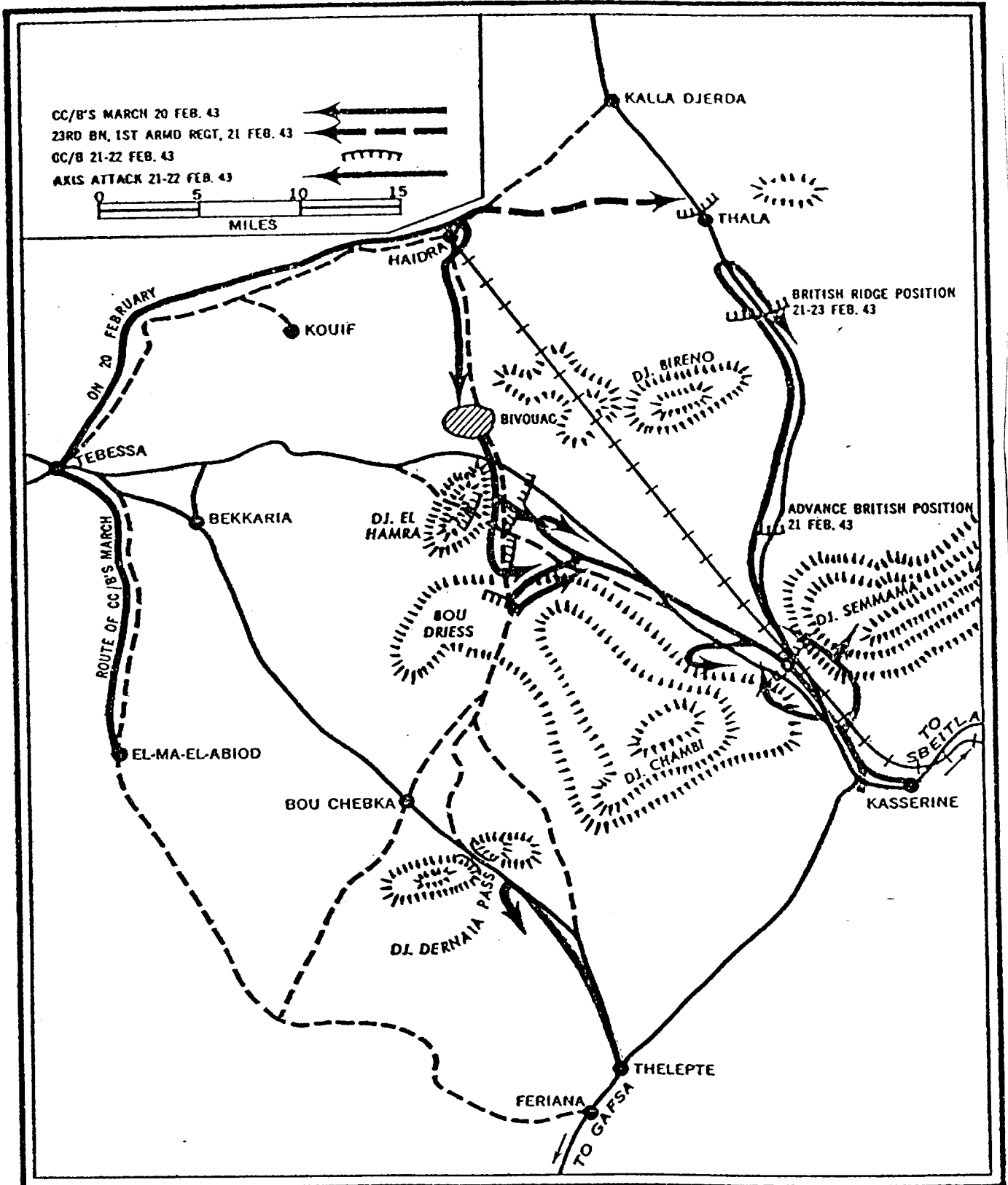
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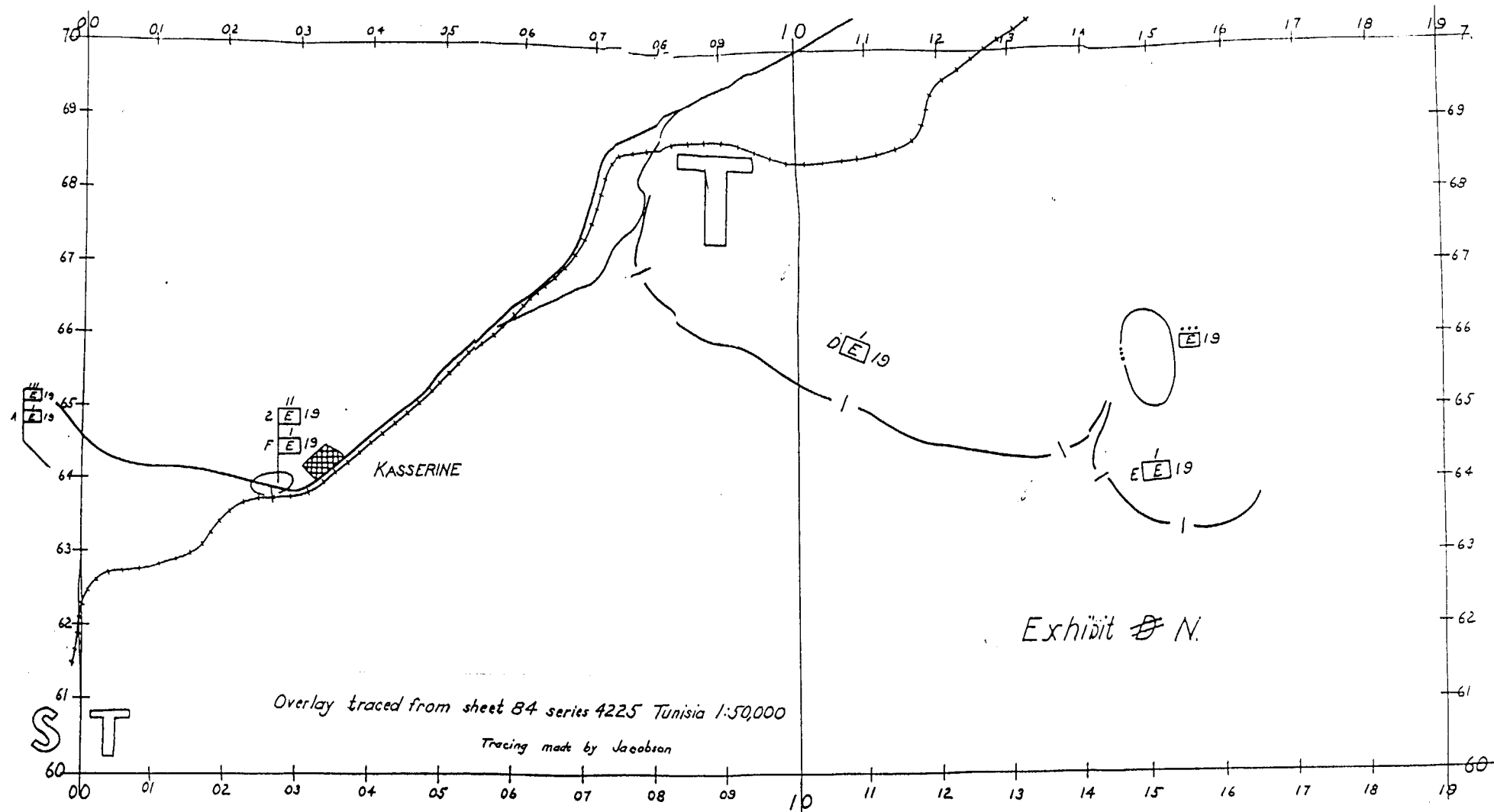
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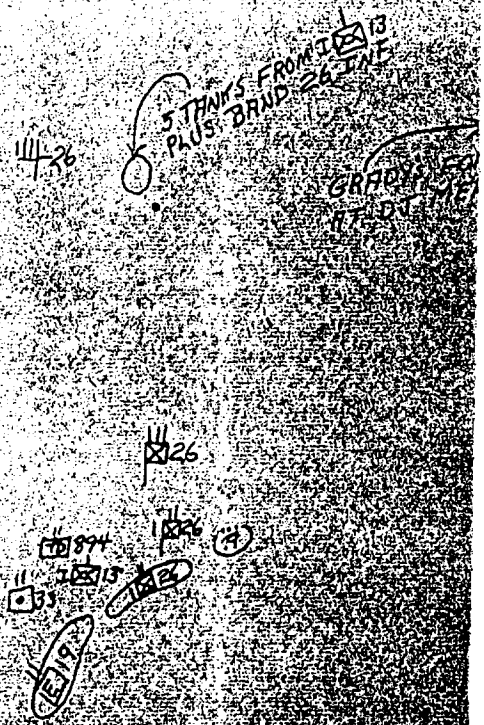
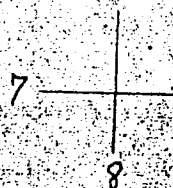


Enemy Attacks Through Kasserine--Major Routes and Options



19th Engineers, Disposition Before the Battle of Kasserine Pass, Tunisia, February 1943

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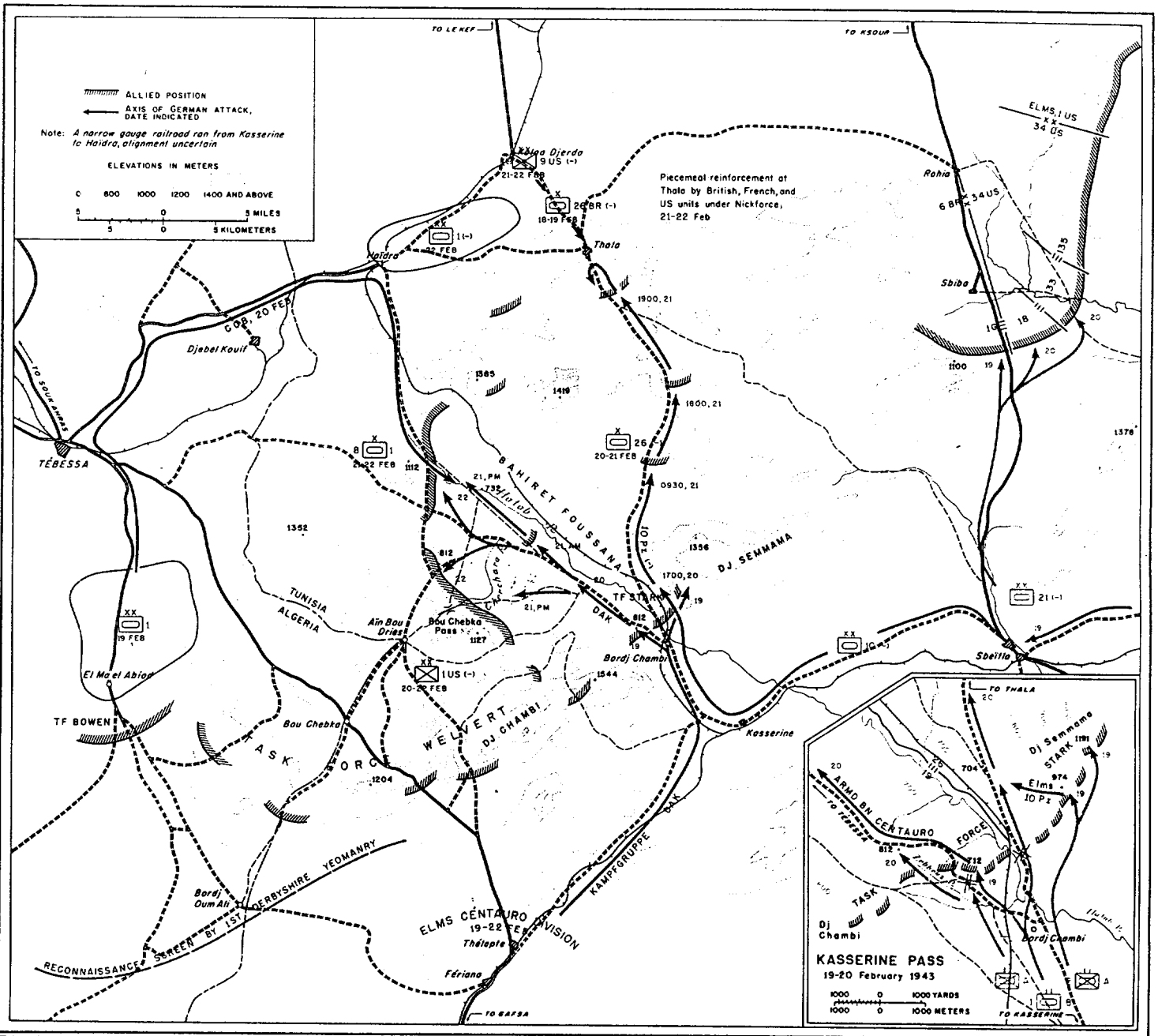
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A FRONT LINE OR MOST ADVANCED ELEMENTS

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Scheme of Defense, Combat Team 26 and 19th Engineers



Battles at Kasserine (Including British 26th Armored Brigade Delay Positions)

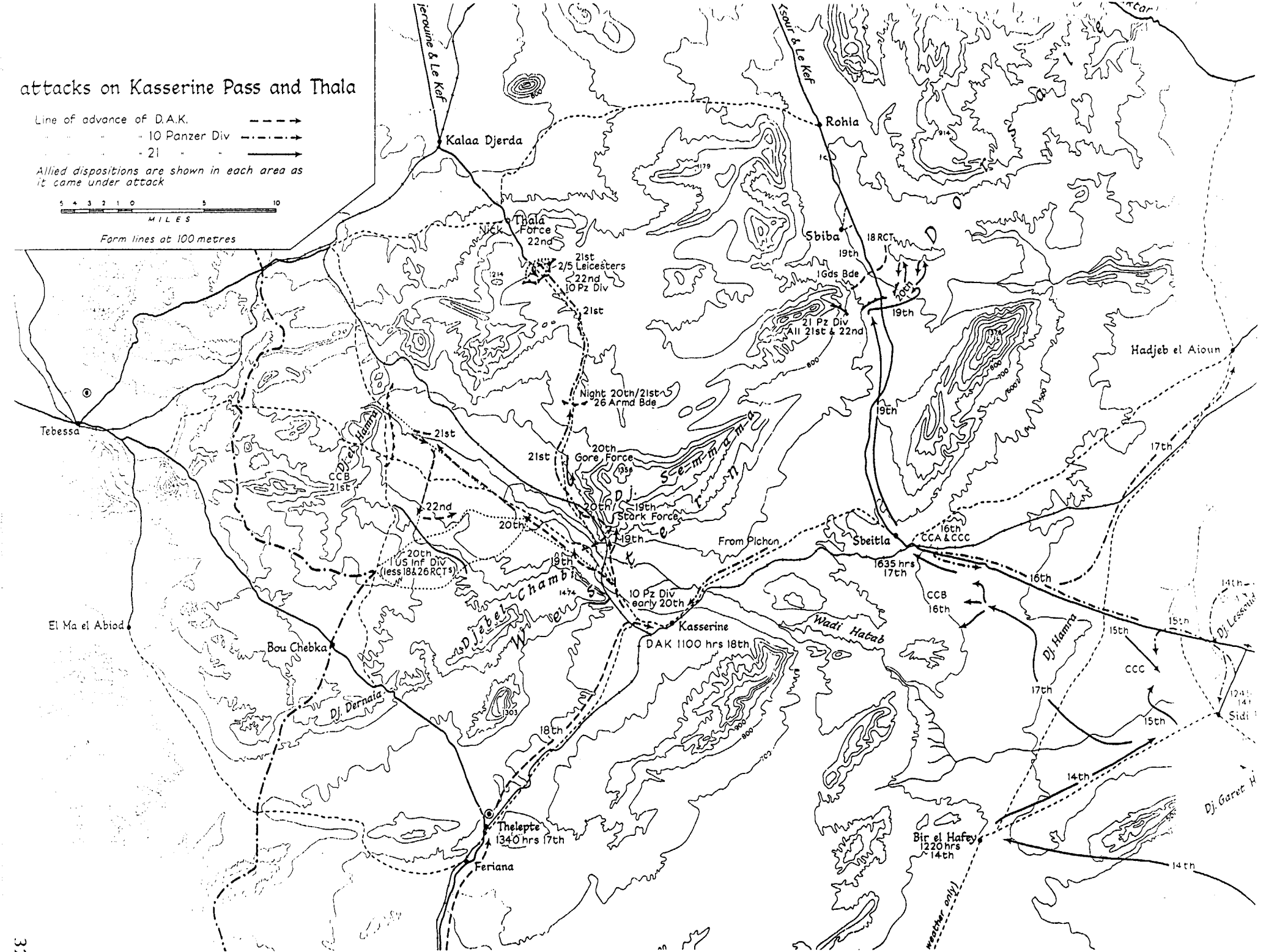
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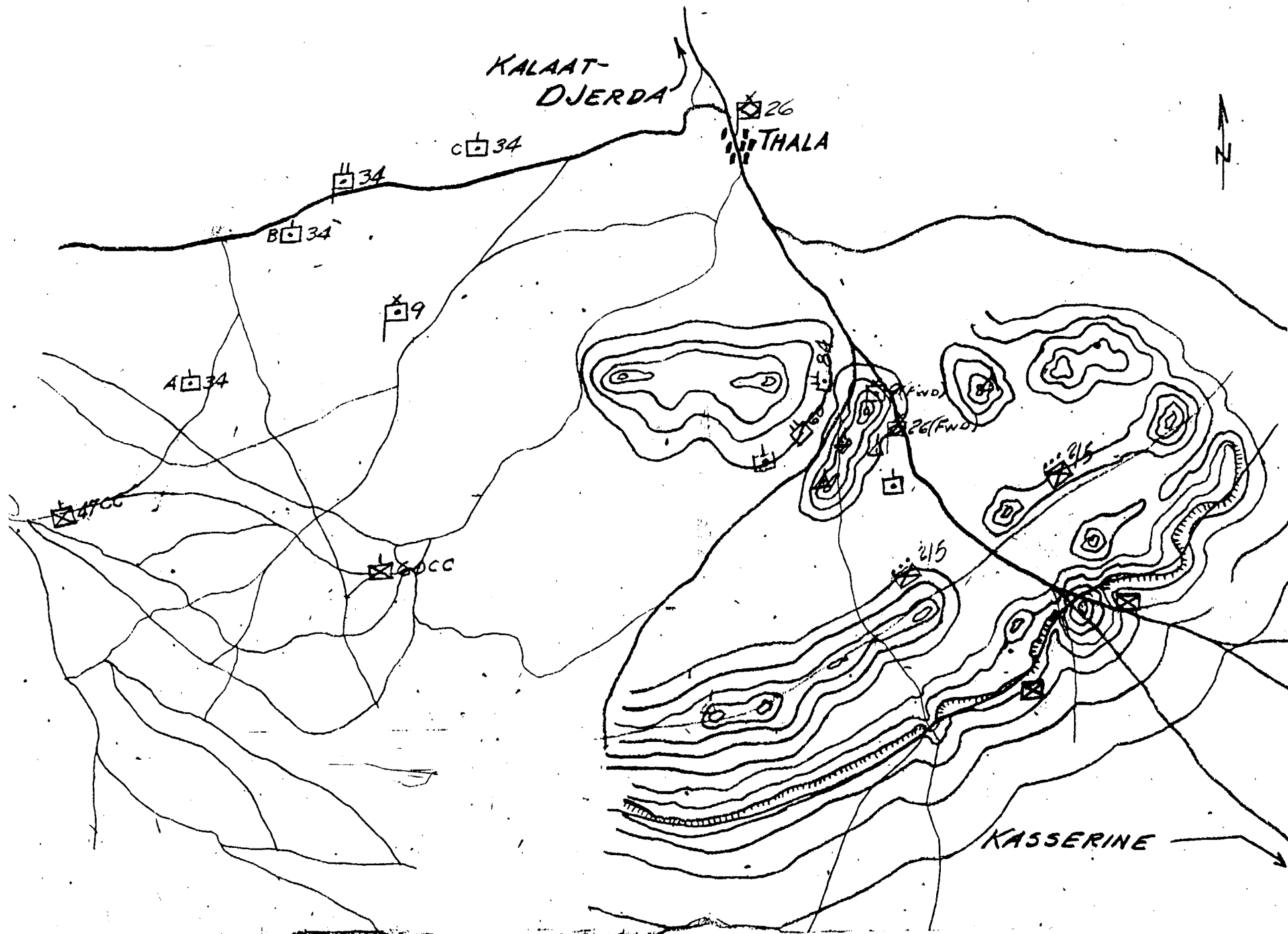
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German Offensive, Terrain and Defense Positions, Thala



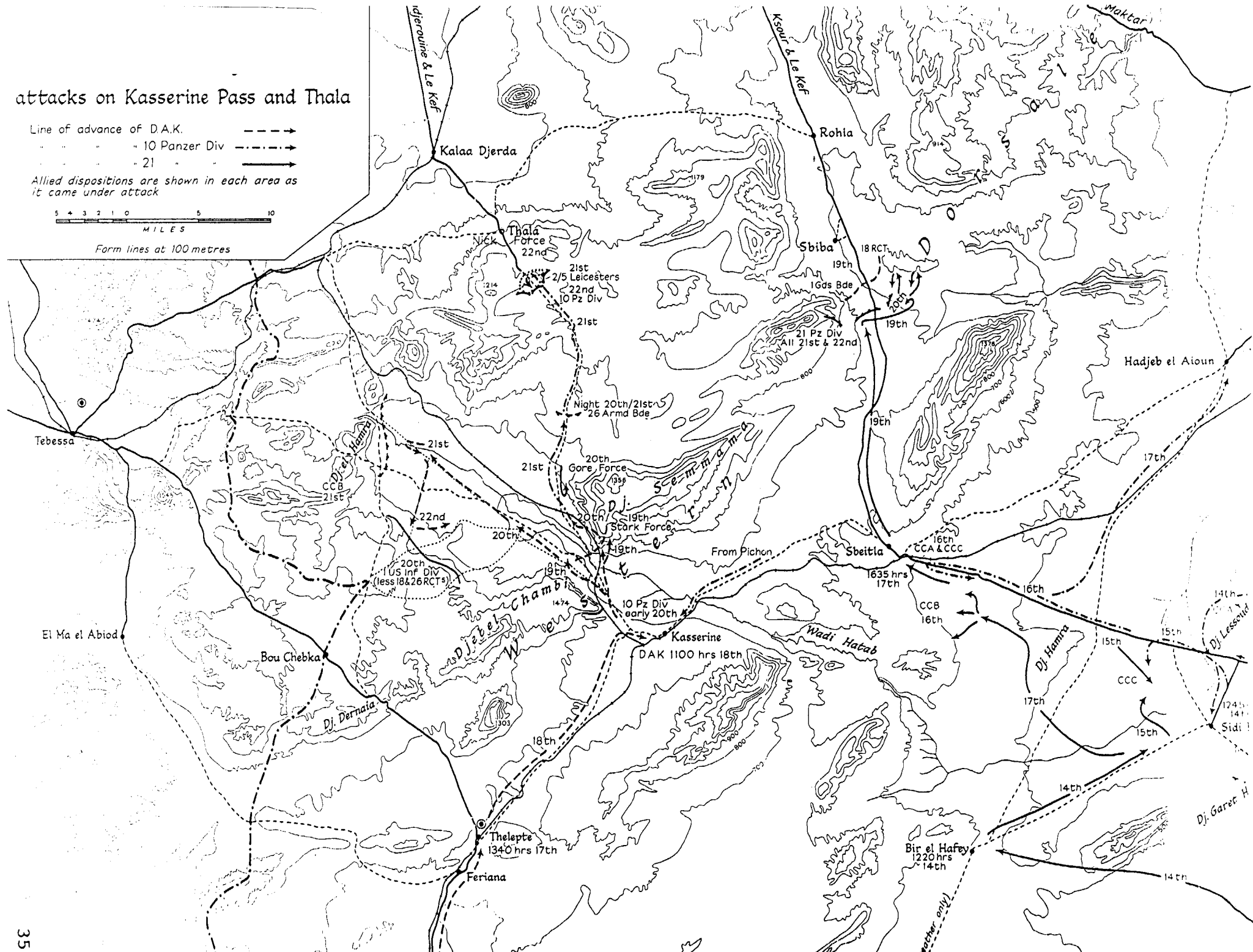
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German Offensive, Terrain Sketch, 14-22 February 1943

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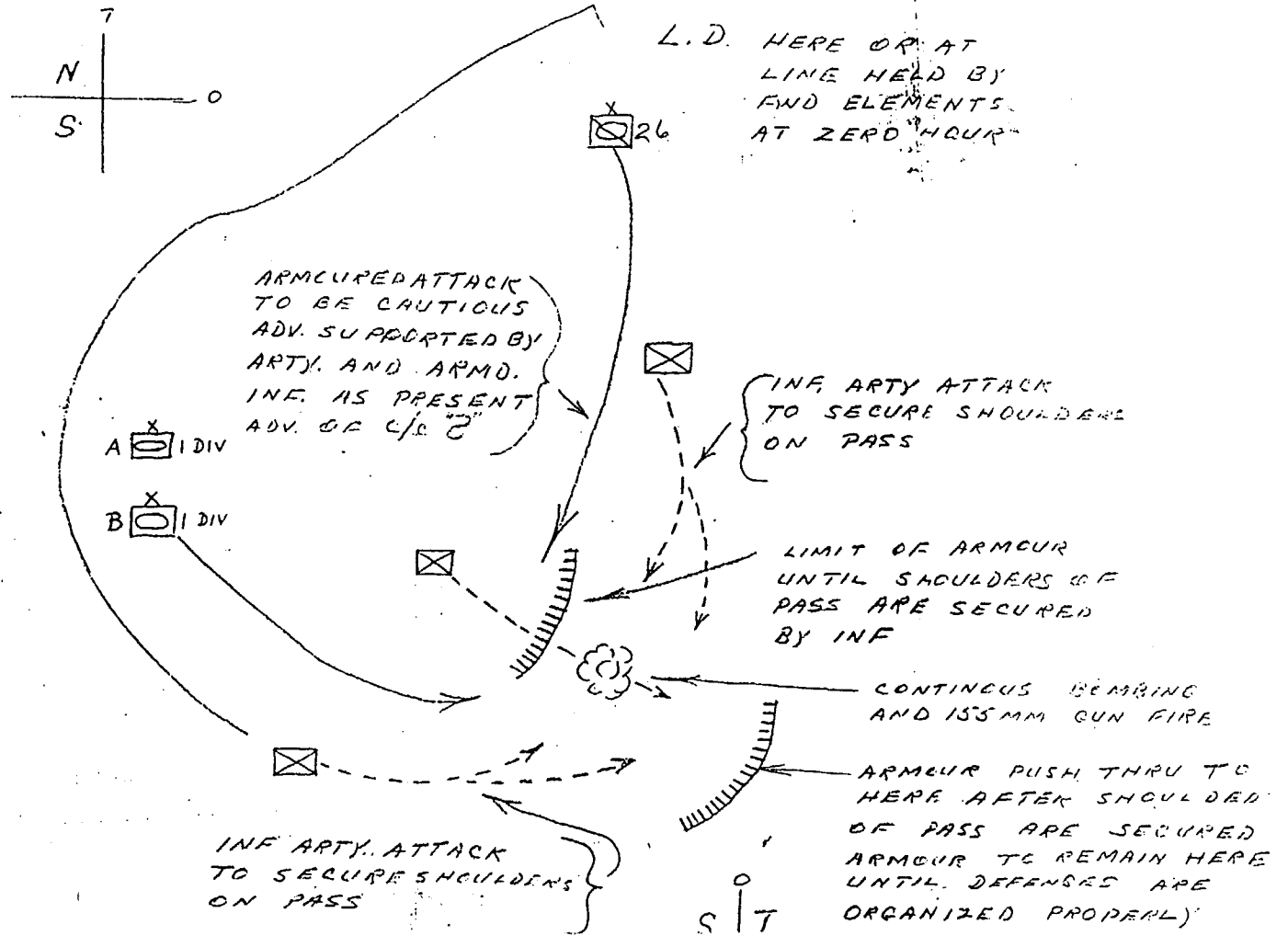
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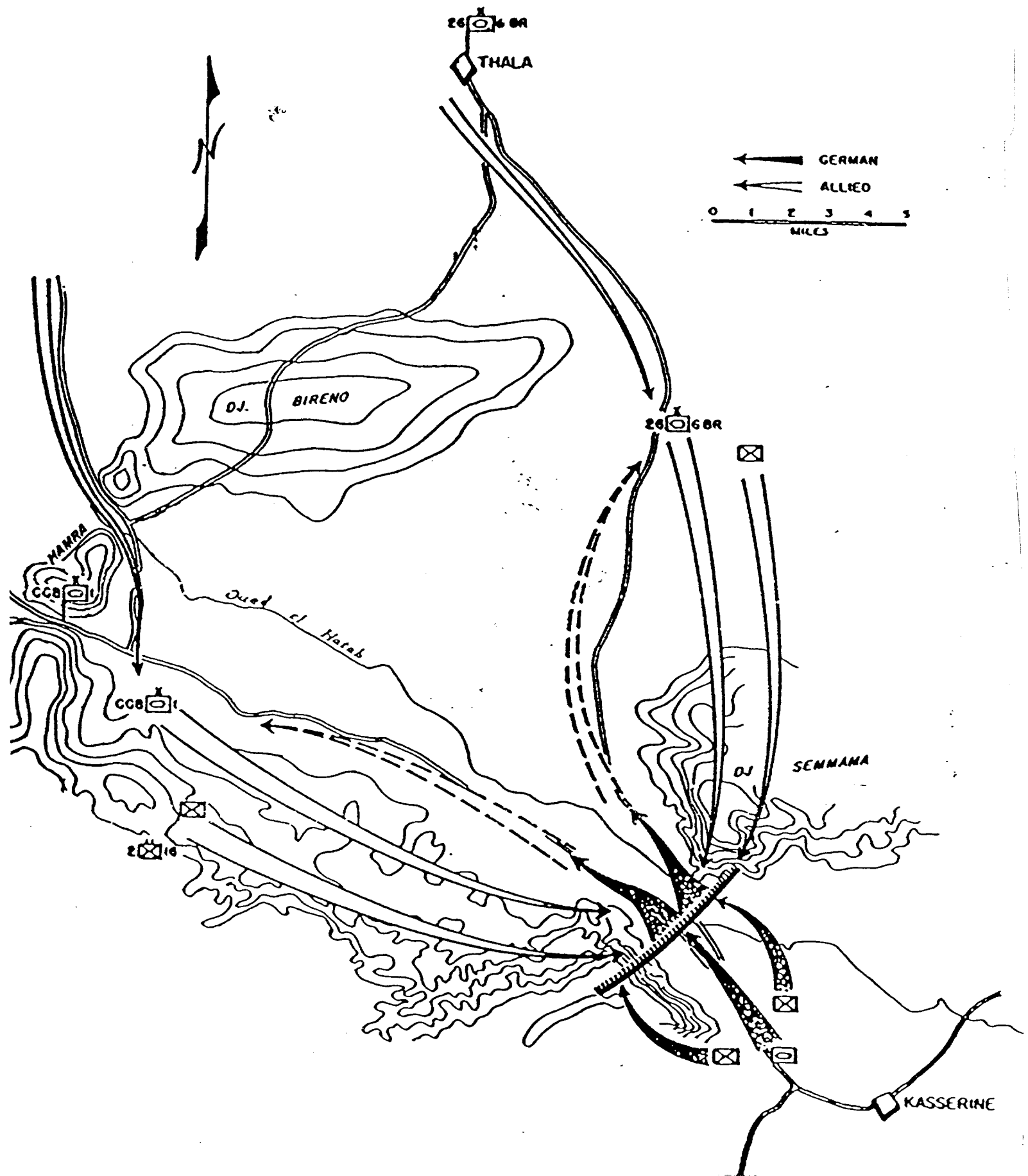
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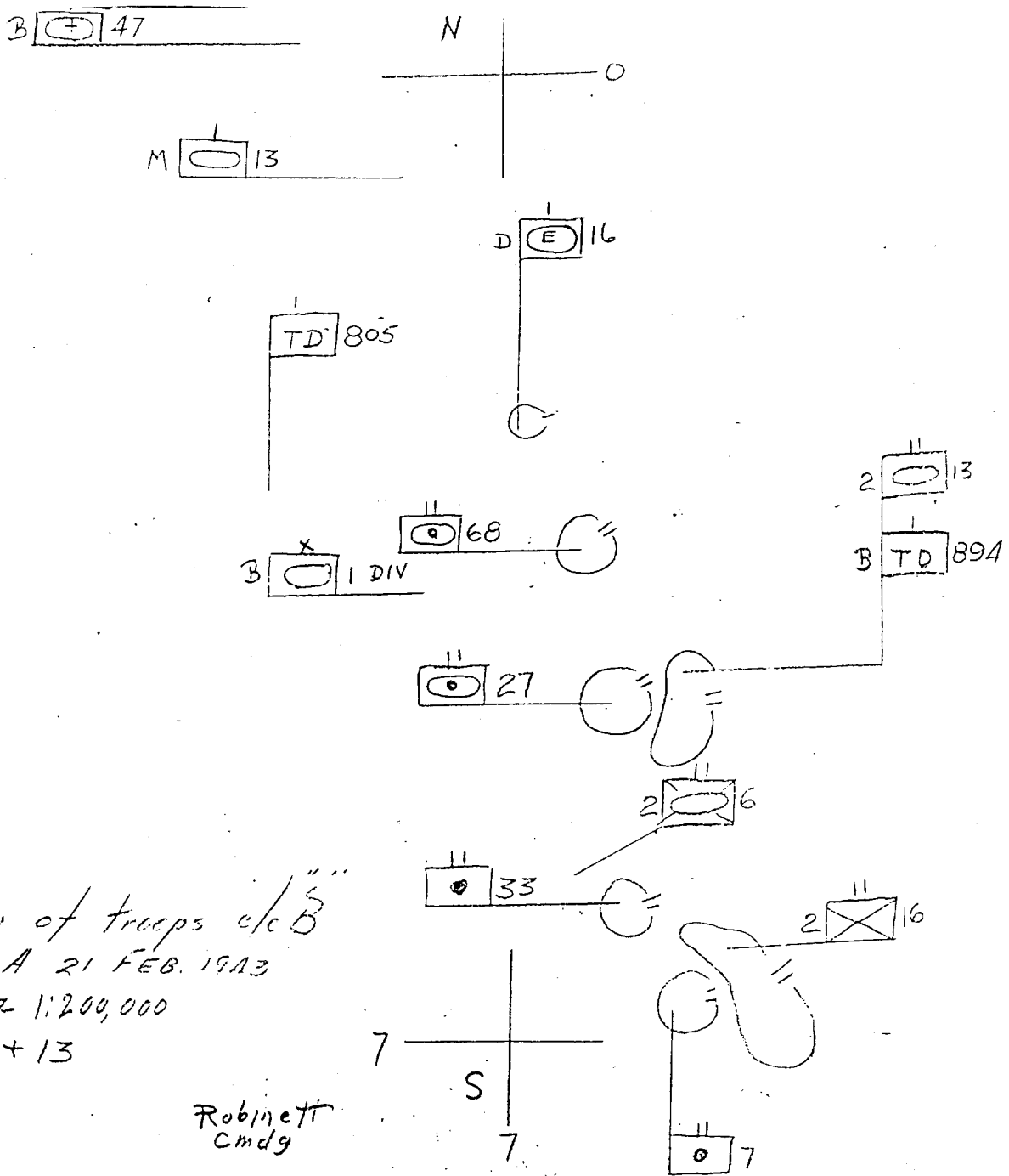
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Scheme of Attack Proposed by Brig. Gen. Robinett



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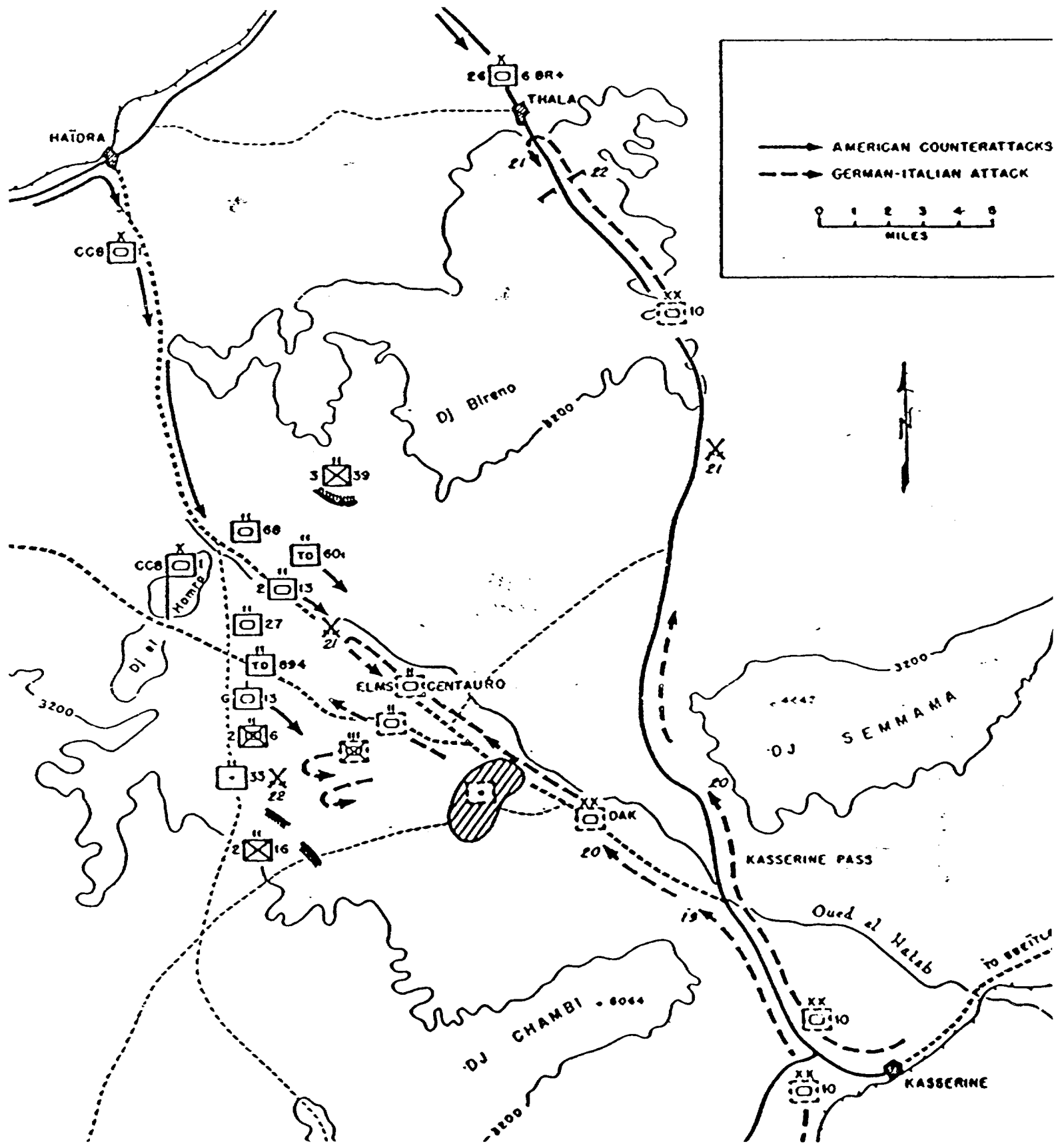


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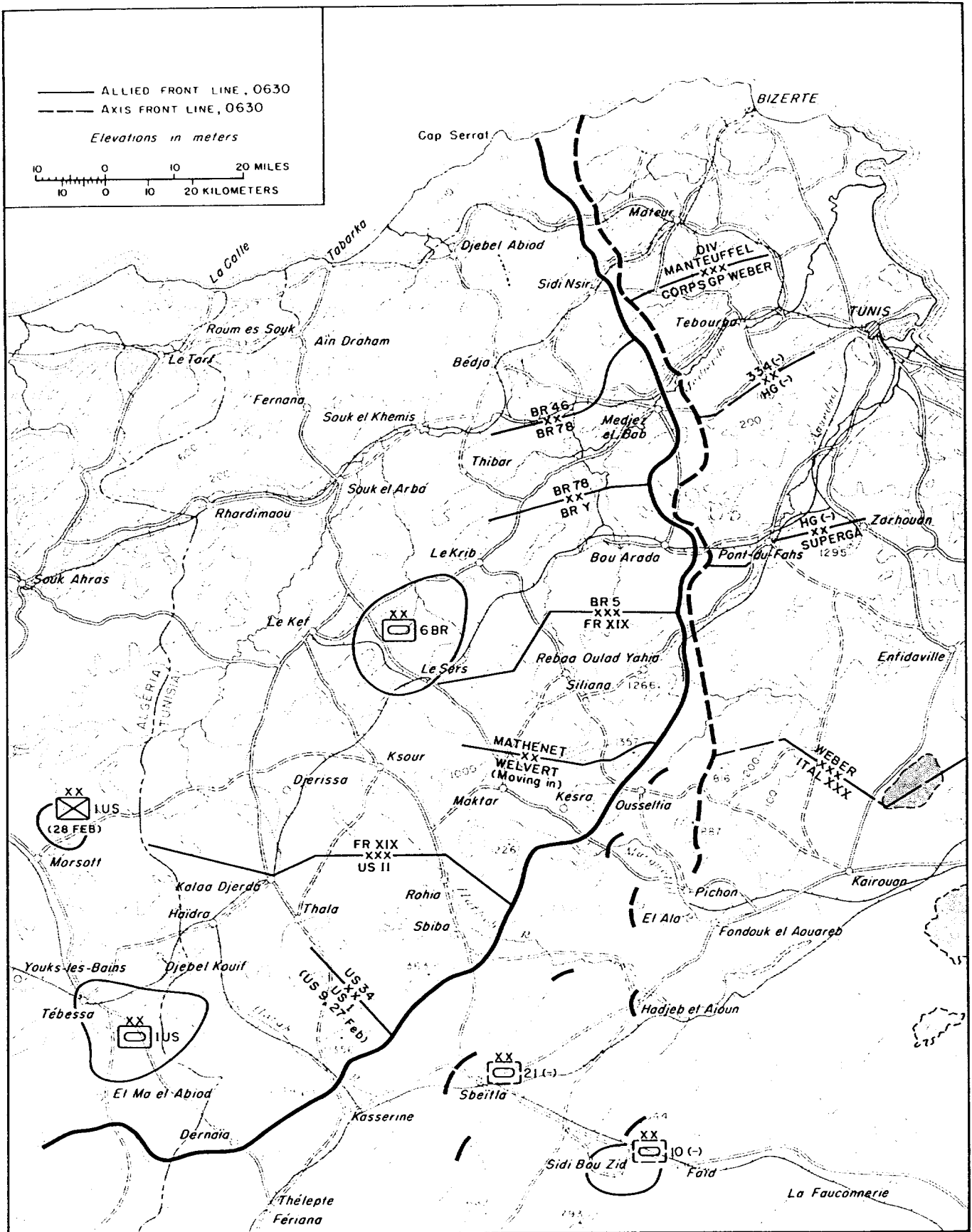
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Scheme of Defense, Dj El Hamra Area, 21 February 1943



Sketch of Combat Command B Defense, 21-22 February 1943



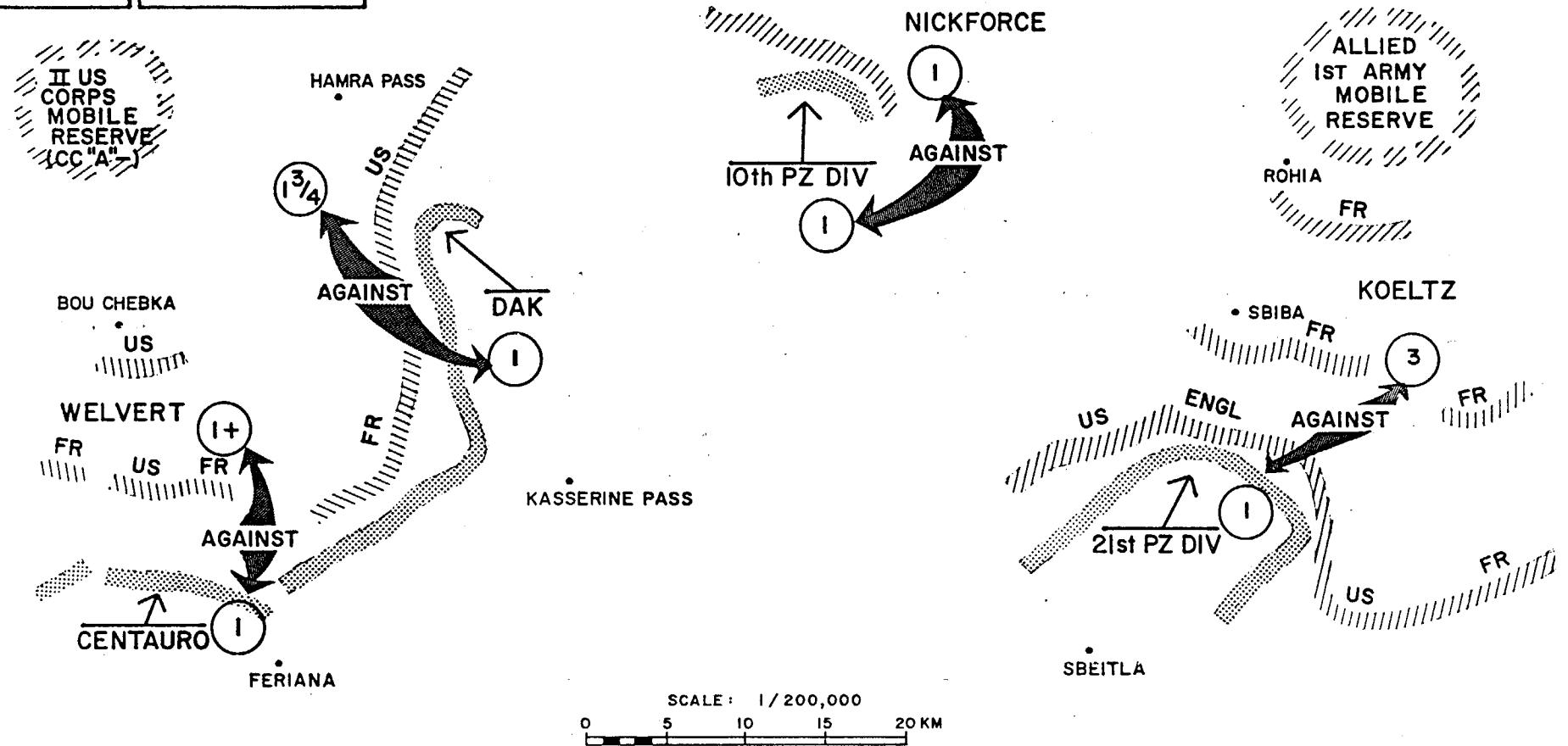
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Situation Following Battle, 26 February 1943

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20 KM TO TEBESSA
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THALA 2 KM



Balance of Forces During the Kasserine Pass Battles, 22-25 February 1943